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YORK. SABINA ROTHKOPF ADAMS, WAS, IS - R. REFER FIVE IS. REURLET OF JULY NINTH, FORTYEVE ENTITLED QUOTE ARTHUR ALEXANDROVICH ADAMS, IS - R UNQUOTE, WHICH AUTHORIZED DISCREET INTERVIEW WITH VICTOR TEICH. TEICH AND MOTHER, MRS. ANNA TEICH, WERE INTERVIEWED JULY TWENTYTHIRD AND FURNISHED FOLLOWING INFO. MRS. TEICH GAINED IMPRESSION FROM SABINA THAT HER HUSBAND IS STILL ALIVE BUT SABINA OFFERED NO INFO CONCERNING HIM OR HIS PRESENT WHEREABOUTS. SABINA SPOKE CONSIDERABLY ABOUT HER SON FROM WHOM SHE HAS NOT HEARD SINCE SEVEN YEARS AGO WHEN HE WAS IN RUSSIA. SABINA DESIRES TO EVENTUALLY RETURN TO RUSSIA TO ATTEMPT TO LOCATE SON, IF AND WHEN SHE HAS SUFFICIENT FUNDS. MRS. TEICH INDICATED THAT SABINA APPEARED TO BE SYMPATHETIC TOWARDS COMMUNISM AND RUSSIA INASMUCH AS SHE READ RUSSIAN MAGAZINES AND EXPRESSED DESIRE TO SPEND OLD AGE IN RUSSIA. SABINA TEMPORARILY EMPLOYED AT WORKMEN-S CIRCLE SANITARIUM, LIBERTY, NY. UNLESS ADVISED TO THE CONTRARY BY JULY THIRTIETH, SABINA WILL BE DISCREETLY INTERVIEWED ON A FACTUAL BASIS FOR INFO TO CLARIFY ARTHUR ADAMS BACKGROUND AND EARLY ACTIVITIES.

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U. S. BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

AUGUST 7, 1945

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To: COMMUNICATIONS SECTION

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Transmit the following message to:

SAC NEW YORK

RE: SABINA ROTHKOPF ADAMS, was, IS-R. REURTEL JULY TWENTY-FIVE. SUTEL SUMMARY INFORMATION FURNISHED BY SABINA CONCERNING ARTHUR ADAMS' BACKGROUND AND EARLY ACTIVITIES.

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- Miss Gandy

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10:30 AM

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ENCLOSURES FOR BUREAU

Re: ARTHUR ALEXANDROVICH ADAMS
IS R.
NY 100-63983

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ENCLOSURE

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7) on a suitable winter coat, fur lined- advise a light fur (light in weight) and plenty of solid footwear. Of your things there remain your burcis - pretty wellworn and a razor-blade sharpener. Not another thread or shred.

Well, darling that should be enough for this letter. You will probably get dizzying from such a big dose at one shot. You have no idea how ~~distressed~~ distressed I was that I had no opportunity to write for so long a time. However we seem to be getting on towards the home run and I feel exactly like the condemned man reprieved at the last moment. To know that you will actually be coming back in the not too far off future. I loathed the idea of making the trip at the present time but had made up my mind to do it if things didn't pan out otherwise as I was given to understand. Much warm love to you from e and kindest regards from all friends. Keep well and be careful.

Your one and only GG

Susy

To save space I shall put the List right here: (Dont faint) List in order of importance

1) Macy's- Her Trib Sept. 17 Fall Coat type Manhattar \$39.75 Color Grey - impossible without velvet collar

2) Saks 34th St. Leather Stadium Fleece lined Boots non-rationed \$10 to go over size 4 shoes

3) Oppenheim Collins Coachman's Coat (Woolen Housegown) tightfitting - Purple preferred NYTimes Sept. 10 \$16.95

4) Gimbel's Princess May Interknit Underwear - 3 pr. overlength pants-and 4 Union suits medium size - about \$15.

5) Arnold Constable NY Her Trib - Oct. 29th Moretrac classic Size 14 - Coral - \$10.98

6) McCreery Sept. 10 NYTimes - Alice Stuart Blouses Scarftrix in fusasia and braided Beauty in lime or brown size 36

7) Bedroom slippers with heels (Have none winter or summer) size 4 - something unrationed

8) 1 dressy black dress - simple, long sleeves preferred size 14 -

9) Two white sharkskin dresses - advertised by Haseka for about \$9 - simple sport styles - one size 14 and one size 38

10) Stockings of all kinds size 8 1/2 (please not bigger)

11) Colored cotton handkerchiefs

12) Stern's Zipper Fabric Briefcase \$3.69 Sept. 17 NYTimes and large shopping bag

13) couple sets of

14) couple of

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...coming back in the ...
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and large shopping bag

13) A couple sets of underwear, nighties if not available

14) A couple of decks of playing cards (one set for Pinochle)

15) Should take place of no. 12 - Hearn's - Everwear Chenille
House robe Times Sept. 17 \$5.97 in French blue

16) ~~Woolen~~ ~~coat~~ ~~with~~ ~~fur~~ ~~trim~~ ~~and~~ ~~fur~~ ~~trim~~ ~~and~~ ~~fur~~ ~~trim~~
The RADIO AND from Maj. or Ren heavy material to be used to
cover divan - preferably deep blue, plushy, 72 inches wide, by
96 inches long - kind used for upholstery of modern furniture
And a good eyeglass frame for me,
A half dozen good jazz records - perhaps one from Carolina

There is enough bed linen and silverware - all intact
And don't forget an extra large jar of good face cream

For Susan - use your own judgment She has a
Tunic like good material for
winter dress size 36

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CLASS OF SERVICE DESIRED
ORDINARY
URGENT RATE
DEFERRED
NIGHT LETTER
SHIP RADIOGRAM

Patrons should check class of service desired - otherwise the cablegram will be transmitted at full rates.

WESTERN UNION
CABLEGRAM

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Send the following message subject to the terms on back hereof, which are hereby agreed to

Feb 7 1945

To MISS DOROTHEA KEEN

BOLSHOI PIONERSKY PEREULOK 8, Apt 68
Moscow (U. S. S. R.)

Numbers dates packages 3095 June thirtieth
1941 9833 March eleventh 9844 March thirteenth
9997 March twenty-fourth 9998 same 10993
June thirteenth 10994 same 11883 July
twenty-seventh all 1944 ALL well love
you relations write

Sine Miller
400 West End Ave
Endroit 2-2412
APL LB

Sender's address
for reference

Sender's telephone
number

WORLD TOURISTS, Inc.



1123 Broadway, - New York, N.Y.

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TELEPHONE (HELSEA 2 2838)
CABLE ADDRESS 'WORLDTOUR

Mrs. L. Miller
400 W. End Ave
NYC.

Dear Mrs. Miller

We are herewith enclosing verification for the receipt of the parcel which you sent to the U.S.S.R. under our licence No..... 11882

We are continuing to forward parcels to the Soviet Union and whenever you wish to send another parcel, we will be very glad to take care of it for you.

Very truly yours,

WORLD TOURISTS, INC.

E. T. Bentley
E. T. Bentley
Secretary

Louis Berdovsky

ETB:RL
Enc.



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Arthur Adams, N.Y. 100-6-3783-



Federal Bureau of Investigation
 United States Department of Justice
 New York 7, New York



IN REPLY, PLEASE REFER TO
 FILE NO. 100-63983
 HHH:MJF

August 10, 1945

~~STRICTLY CONFIDENTIAL~~

Director, FBI

Re: ARTHUR ALEXANDROVICH ADAMS
 INTERNAL SECURITY - R APPROPRIATE AGENCIES
 REFER 5 IS AND FIELD OFFICES

ADVISED BY ROUTING
 SLIP(S) OF DeLias
 DATE 8-15-45

Dear Sir:

Reference is made to the report of Special Agent H.H.Hinderaker dated April 28, 1945. On pages 90-92 information was set forth showing that ARTHUR ADAMS is apparently in communication with his wife, DOROTHEA KEEN, in Russia through IRENE MILLER in New York City.

Investigation of ADAMS and IRENE MILLER has developed additional information concerning her activities on ADAMS' behalf, which are being set forth for information purposes. As was previously reported IRENE MILLER called ADAMS on 1-3-45 and inquired whether she (DOROTHEA KEEN) got any of the parcels and the following conversation ensued:

"A: No, don't mention anything! (Hurriedly) By the way, could you call up that damn organization and ask them what is their office address in town?

I: Oh--Oh, I get it, yeah, I'll do that.

A: Because you know, she never got--you remember, we bought things many years ago and--(ind.)--and she never got it.

I: Yeah, Well, I'll find out. They have an office there, huh?

A: I know, sure.

I: Well, I'll get the address and let you know.

A: Yes. You know, the boss that used to run it is dead. You know, his wife was--his name was WEISS (ph), only not in English.

I: Yes, I get it.

A: Well, his wife is there, on the other side.

I: I see.

A: And she has a kid in the Army.

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I: I see. Well, I'll call up and find out--
A: O.K. Kid! "

On 2-5-45 IRENE MILLER received a cablegram from DOROTHEA KEEN which had been filed in Moscow 2-1-45. This cable stated in part "received your July 31st package license 11882". A highly confidential source of information [redacted]

[redacted] has made available photographic copy of a letter addressed to Mrs. L. MILLER, 400 West End Avenue, New York City on the stationery of WORLD TOURISTS, Inc., 1123 Broadway, New York City, to which was attached a slip of paper bearing Russian writing. This attached slip of paper is apparently a receipt showing the delivery of the package in Russia and it reflects that the package had been received in good condition on 1-1-45. The letter states in part "We are herewith enclosing verification for the receipt of the parcel, which you sent to U.S.S.R., under our license No. 11882." A photographic copy of this letter is being enclosed herewith. b7D

It therefore appears that the packages, which IRENE MILLER has been sending to DOROTHEA KEEN for ADAMS, have been handled by WORLD TOURISTS, Inc. and that ADAMS had this concern in mind when speaking to IRENE MILLER on 1-3-45 at which time they discussed the failure of the packages to reach their destination. ADAMS' comments on that date concerning "the boss that used to run it" and this person's family indicates he has considerable information concerning the above mentioned WORLD TOURISTS Inc. and its personnel.

On 2-6-45 IRENE MILLER called ADAMS and told him she had received a "communication". She said she would get all the numbers and cable them as she had been requested to do. On the following day she sent a cable to DOROTHEA KEEN, Bolshoi Pionersky Pereulok 8, Apt. 68, Moscow, USSR setting out the numbers of packages and dates of packages apparently sent to DOROTHEA KEEN. Photostatic copy of this cablegram is being enclosed herewith.

Highly confidential source also made available what appears to be a page of a letter to ADAMS from DOROTHEA KEEN which was in the possession of IRENE MILLER on 7-14-45. This portion of the letter, photographic copy of which is being enclosed, bears no date and is signed "SUSY". It is believed that ADAMS gave this page of the letter to IRENE MILLER as he desired her to purchase and select clothing and personal items listed therein for him to send to DOROTHEA KEEN in Russia.--Confiden-

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tial Informant NYT-314 has furnished considerable information substantiating this indication. On 6-22-45 ADAMS called IRENE MILLER and inquired how she was progressing. IRENE MILLER replied: "Yeah. I got most of the stuff. I got the dress; I got the robe; I got the slippers and I got the blouses. I got the cream and I got some underwear... Only thing is that I may not be able to come over this afternoon." On the following day, ADAMS and IRENE MILLER again discussed various clothing items she had purchased and which he had examined. ADAMS objected to the color of the blouses selected, to which she replied: "Well, she asked for 'fuchsia' and she asked for 'lime'". It is noted that in the letter the blouse colors specified in item six are as IRENE MILLER stated in her conversation with ADAMS. Later in this conversation, ADAMS stated he had written to DOROTHEA KEEN and they also made other comments about her.

On 6-28-45 ADAMS advised IRENE MILLER that he had sent the package. It is believed he prepared it and sent it from the offices of Keynote Recording Inc., 522 Fifth Avenue, inasmuch as on 6-26-45 he was noted to carry a large package from the Peter Cooper Hotel to his office. It is not known how the package was sent by ADAMS.

In regard to the page of the letter in IRENE MILLER's possession, attention is directed to the statement "However we seem to be getting on towards the home run and I feel exactly like the condemned man relieved at the last moment. To know that you will actually be coming back in the not too far off future. I loathed the idea of making the trip at the present time but had made up my mind to do it if things didn't pan out otherwise, as I was given to understand." This comment by the writer of the letter, apparently based on information received previously, would indicate that ADAMS contemplated returning to Russia soon, sometime in the Fall of 1944, inasmuch as there is a reference in the letter to the "N.Y. Herald Tribune" of 10/29/44 and the letter must therefore have been written sometime after that.

In the letter, reference is made to "Maj" and "Ren." It is believed "Maj" refers to YNA MAJESCA, a designer who lives at 1 Fifth Avenue, New York City, and has an office at 1 East 57th Street. She is an associate of JACOB B. ARONOFF and is known to be acquainted with ADAMS.

"Ren" probably refers to IRENE MILLER, whom ADAMS usually addressed as "Ren". The identity of "ELENA" is not known.

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In addition to the enclosure previously mentioned, there is also forwarded herewith a photograph of ARTHUR ADAMS bearing on the reverse side the inscription: "To Doc & Renia from ARTHUR, Moscow, January 1932," which was also furnished by a highly confidential source.

Very truly yours

E. E. Conroy
E. E. CONROY
SAC

Enc.

cc NY 100-70397

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WASH FROM NEW YORK 26 8 7-35 P

DIRECTOR U R G E N T

AW. SABINA ROTHKOPF ADAMS, WA, IS - R. REFER FIVE IS. REURTEL INSTANT
DATE REQUESTING SUMMARY OF INFORMATION FURNISHED BY SABINA ADAMS. THIS
INFORMATION SUBMITTED BY LETTER DATED AUGUST SEVEN, FORTYFIVE, UNDER
ABOVE CAPTION. SABINA STATED ADAMS BORN IN INTERIOR PORTION OF RUSSIA
AND IS OF RUSSIAN CITIZENSHIP. CLAIMED SHE MARRIED ADAMS IN LODZ,
POLAND AND THEIR SON, ALEXANDER, WAS BORN APRIL FOUR, NINETEEN TEN IN
RIGA, RUSSIA. ADAMS CAME TO US FROM POLAND, WHICH WAS THEN UNDER RUSSIAN
DOMINATION, IN ABOUT NINETEEN TWELVE. SABINA AND ALEXANDER LEFT LODZ
IN NINETEEN FOURTEEN AND JOINED ADAMS IN NYC. THEY LIVED VARIOUS
PLACES IN NYC AND FOR A PERIOD IN NINETEEN SIXTEEN OR SEVENTEEN LIVED
IN DETROIT. THEY THEN RETURNED TO NYC WHERE THEY RESIDED UNTIL ADAMS,
SABINA AND ALEXANDER ALL RETURNED TO EUROPE AND EVENTUALLY TO RUSSIA
IN NINETEEN TWENTY ONE. SHORTLY AFTER RETURNING TO RUSSIA SABINA
OBTAINED DIVORCE AND SHE AND ALEXANDER RETURNED TO LODZ, WHERE SHE
RESUMED HER MAIDEN NAME OF ROTKOPF, WHICH SHE CLAIMS IS CORRECT
SPELLING OF HER NAME. SABINA CLAIMS SHE HAS NOT HEARD FROM ADAMS
SINCE, BUT HAD INFORMATION AT ONE TIME THAT HE WAS DEAD. SABINA
WAS QUESTIONED AS THOROUGHLY AS SEEMED FEASIBLE UNDER PRESENT CIRCUM-
STANCES WITHOUT MAKING HER AWARE OF THE ADAMS INVESTIGATION. THOUGH

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NOT ANTAGONISTIC TO INTERVIEWING AGENTS, SABINA WAS VERY RELUCTANT TO ELABORATE UPON EVENTS OF HER LIFE CONNECTED WITH ADAMS AND DISPLAYED CONSIDERABLE EMOTIONAL REACTION WHEN QUESTIONED ALONG THESE LINES. IT IS BELIEVED, HOWEVER, THAT SHOULD CIRCUMSTANCES BE CHANGED SO THAT IT WOULD BE ADVISABLE TO DO SO, SHE MIGHT BE REINTERVIEWED FOR FURTHER SPECIFIC DETAILS OF WHICH SHE MAY HAVE KNOWLEDGE. SABINA STATED SHE INTENDS TO REMAIN IN US UNLESS SHE GETS OPPORTUNITY TO JOIN HER SON, ALEXANDER, SOMEWHERE. SHE STATED ALEXANDER MAINTAINED HIS RUSSIAN CITIZENSHIP AND IN NINETEEN THIRTYTHREE OR THIRTYFOUR WAS CALLED BACK TO SERVE IN RUSSIAN ARMY, FROM CANADA. SHE HAS HEARD HE WAS SENT TO THE FRONT IN NINETEEN FORTYONE BUT ALL INQUIRIES SHE HAS MADE SINCE, INCLUDING INQUIRY AT RUSSIAN CONSULATE NYC, FAILED TO PRODUCE INFORMATION AS TO WHETHER HE SURVIVED.

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NY R 23-24-25-26 WA

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New York 7, New York

100-79081

JD/lms

Director, FBI

August 7, 1945

100-3312-70
Re: SABINA ROTHKOPF ADAMS, with aliases
INTERNAL SECURITY - R
Refer 5 IS

Dear Sir:

Reference is made to New York teletype to the Bureau in the above-captioned matter, dated July 25, 1945, which stated that SABINA ROTHKOPF ADAMS would be interviewed, unless advice to the contrary was received by July 30, 1945.

Accordingly, SABINA was interviewed on August 1, 1945 by Special Agents HUGHITT H. HINDFRAKER and EDWARD J. DISTELHORST. She exhibited her birth certificate, which showed that BINA ROTKOPF, born August 23, 1889 at Lodz, Poland, was the daughter of OJZER ROTKOPF and RAJIA MCGACZOW, the latter being a variation of her mother's maiden name, also known in Poland as "MCGACHT". She explained that "BINA" is a variation of the name, SABINA, and that "ROTKOPF" is the correct spelling of her own maiden name, but that in the course of her travels the name has been unintentionally misspelled on various records. Lodz, Poland, according to SABINA, was considered as part of Russia prior to World War I.

She stated that she first left Lodz in November, 1914 with her son, ALEXANDER ADAMS, born April 5, 1910 at Riga, Russia, to join her husband, ARTHUR ADAMS, whom she married in Lodz, Poland prior to 1912, and who had been residing in New York City for about two years prior to her coming here. She declined, however, to give the date of their marriage, but indicated that she had been married just once - to ADAMS. She specified that ADAMS was born in the interior of Russia, date unknown, and that the Russian equivalent of the name ADAMS would be "ADAMOFF". She stated that she did not know if ADAMS had ever been in the United States prior to 1910.

She stated that subsequent to joining ADAMS in New York City in 1914, she and her son and ADAMS resided during 1916 or 1917 in Detroit, Michigan, then returned to New York City, where they resided until 1921, when they returned to Russia, where she was divorced from ADAMS. In

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NY 100-79031
Letter to Director, FBI

August 7, 1945

Re: SABINA ROTHKOPF, was
INTERNAL SECURITY - R
Refer 5 IS

December, 1921 she and ALEXANDER returned to Lodz, Poland, where she resumed use of her maiden name, ROTHKOPF. In 1923 she left ALEXANDER in a boarding school at Karlsruhe, Germany, joined her sister, STEPHANIE LORINGEN, at Paris, France, and proceeded to Canada, where she trained as a nurse and resided until January 25, 1943 when she entered the United States for residence.

Concerning ADAMS, she stated that he remained in Russia following their divorce in 1921, and that the only information she had subsequently received concerning him was that he died a few years later, date unknown. She could not verify the source of this information.

SABINA stated that her son, ALEXANDER, joined her in Canada in 1929, and resided with her until 1933 or 1934, date not recalled, when he, having maintained his Russia citizenship, was called to Russia to serve in the Russian army. She has had no word from him for the past several years but recently had information through a friend, who also had a son in the Russian army, that as of November, 1941, ALEXANDER had been sent to the Russian front. Her efforts through inquiry of the Russian Consulate, New York City, to learn of ALEXANDER's whereabouts have been to no avail, she said. She expressed a desire to hear of him, and stated that, if he could be located, she would join him wherever he is, and, if possible, would travel to Russia to do so.

It should be noted that in instant interview, SABINA was questioned as closely as deemed advisable under the present circumstances and desires to not arouse her suspicions of the current investigation of ARTHUR ADAMS. Her reluctance in elaborating upon the events of her life connected with ADAMS clearly indicated that ADAMS had caused her a great deal of unhappiness. She was visibly moved upon mentioning him, and stated that she had "lived to forget that experience". It was impossible, therefore, to press her for as much specific information as desired. It is believed, however, that, should circumstances change so as to indicate the advisability of doing so, she could be re-interviewed at a later date for further specific data she may have.

Complete details concerning this interview will be set forth in subsequent report.

cc: NY 100-63983

Very truly yours,

J. E. CONROY, SAC

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
COMMUNICATIONS SECTION

WASH FROM NEW YORK - 26 28 3-28 P
DIRECTOR URGENT

LOAN. ARTHUR ALEXANDROVICH ADAMS. IS - R. REFER FIVE IS.
REOURTEL JUNE TWENTYFIRST ON SUBJECTS VISIT TO MEXICAN CONSULATE.
ADAMS AGAIN VISITED CONSULATE JUNE TWENTYSIXTH TALKING TO GIRL CLERK
IN MANNER INDICATING HE POSSIBLY KNEW HER. SURVEILLANCE OF SUBJECT THAT
NIGHT REFLECTED GIRL ANSWERING SAME DESCRIPTION ACCOMPANIED HIM AND VIC-
TORIA STONE TO NEGRO FREEDOM RALLY AT MADISON SQUARE GARDEN. AT CON-
SULATE SUBJECT OBSERVED TO HAVE MANILA ENVELOPE SIMILAR TO ONE IN WHICH
IT IS KNOWN HE KEEPS PERSONAL PAPERS SUCH AS BIRTH CERTIFICATE, COPY OF
DECLARATION OF INTENTION, ETC. CONFIDENTIAL SOURCE ADVISES THIS ENVE-
LOPE IN SUBJECTS ROOM AS OF JUNE TWENTYFIRST BUT GONE AS OF JUNE TWENTY
SEVENTH, ADDING TO POSSIBILITY THAT IT WAS THIS ENVELOPE HE CARRIED TO
CONSULATE ON SECOND VISIT. NOTED FURTHER THESE ARE PAPERS SUBJECT WOULD
PROBABLY NEED IF ATTEMPTING TO GAIN ENTRANCE TO MEXICO. IN VIEW OF
FRIENDLY ATTITUDE OF SUBJECT TO GIRL CLERK NOT BELIEVED ADVISABLE
AT THIS TIME TO REQUEST BUREAU AUTHORITY TO CONTACT CONSULATE IN NY
BUT SUGGESTED BUREAU ATTEMPT TO ASCERTAIN THROUGH EMBASSY IN WASHINGTON
IF ADAMS ATTEMPTED TO SECURE MEXICAN VISA.

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**Federal Bureau of Investigation
United States Department of Justice
New York 7, New York**



IN REPLY, PLEASE REFER TO
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MMH:DJ

DECLASSIFIED BY 2709 D. J. W.
ON _____

August 14, 1945

~~STRICTLY CONFIDENTIAL~~

Director, FBI

RE: ARTHUR ALEXANDROVICH ADAMS
INTERNAL SECURITY - R
(Bureau File #100-331280)

APPROPRIATE AGENCIES
AND FIELD OFFICES
ADVISED BY ROUTING
SLIP(S) OF Dec 1945
DATE 6-2-78 BNYG

Dear Sir:

It is believed that particular consideration should be given at this time to the possibilities of taking some positive action in the investigation of ARTHUR ADAMS. Information concerning the atomic bomb experiments has now been generally released and need for secrecy concerning this project should, therefore, no longer interfere with any action which might be contemplated against ADAMS or his associates.

The constant 24 hour physical surveillance of ADAMS, who is at present at Kenoza Lake, New York, occupies the full time of 18 Agents, as well as the use of considerable technical equipment. In recent months physical surveillance has failed to develop any new pertinent information concerning ADAMS' background, activities, or contacts.

In view of these circumstances, the Bureau is requested to advise whether direct steps can now be taken towards the apprehension of ARTHUR ALEXANDROVICH ADAMS. If such action cannot be undertaken at this time, the Bureau is requested to indicate whether the constant coverage of ADAMS might be relaxed in favor of a spot check surveillance, together with such technical coverage as is now being employed.

With respect to the action contemplated against ADAMS, reference is made to our letters of May 21, 1945 and July 3, 1945 in the case entitled "EDWARD T. LANNING; INTERNAL SECURITY - R", wherein it was requested that WILLIAM HAMMERQUIST and EDWARD LANNING be thoroughly interviewed in an attempt to obtain all possible information which might assist in developing a Registration Act or Espionage violation on the part of ADAMS. The San Francisco Office has now advised that LANNING has been transferred out of the United States into the Pacific theater.

Similarly, interviews are contemplated with all other known contacts of ADAMS who were previously employed on the DSM project. These might disclose additional contacts, those employed previously or at present whose identities are not now known. Interviews with other associates of ADAMS, such as JULIUS HERMAN, VICTORIA STONE, SAMUEL J. NOVICK, etc., might also be effective

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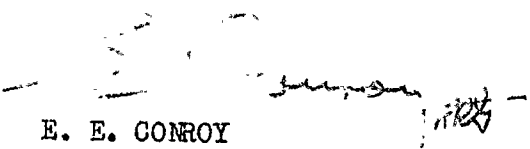
Director
NY 100-63983

August 14, 1945

in producing evidence of a Registration Act or Espionage violation. Investigation to date has failed to substantiate a Registration Act or Espionage charge against ADAMS; however, the actions outlined above might possibly furnish the necessary lacking information.

Attention is also directed to the fact that on March 13, 1945 a two-count indictment was returned in the Southern District of New York, charging ADAMS with violation of Title 18, Section 80, USC. Furthermore, ADAMS is, of course, at all times subject to deportation and could be apprehended and held under deportation proceedings. It is possible that the arrest of ADAMS on any of these charges, the search incident to such arrest, and the questioning of ADAMS might furnish information which would aid in establishing legal evidence of the other violations previously discussed.

Very truly yours


E. E. CONROY
SAC

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
WASHINGTON D. C.

~~SECRET~~

August 11, 1945

To:

SAC, New York

There follows the report of the FBI Laboratory on the examination of evidence received from the Office of Censorship on August 4, 1945.

~~Classification 2909 Dstet
Exempt from GDS, Category 2B3S
Date of Declassification Indefinite
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J. Edgar Hoover
John Edgar Hoover, Director

Arthur Alexandrovich Adams
INTERNAL SECURITY - R

YOUR FILE NO.
FBI FILE NO.
LAB. NO.

Examination requested by:

~~APPROPRIATE AGENCIES
AND FIELD OFFICES
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DATE 6-2-78 [Signature]~~

100-331280
D-41153 BE
Cr-9443 DV
Pe-14890 AZ

Reference:

Bureau

Examination requested:

Watch List

Specimens:

Document - Cryptographic - Secret Writing

- Q12 Envelope addressed in handwriting to "Sr. Louis Miller, 400 West End Ave., New York 24, New York, U. S. A.", from "Fernando Ferraz, Avenida Chapultepec #25, Cuernavaca, More.", postmarked July 21, 1945.
- Q13 Accompanying one-page letter, handwritten in Spanish, dated "18 de junio de 1945", beginning "Estimado Senor Luis Miller: Unas cuantas lineas unicamente....", and signed "Fernando Ferraz".

Let of Examinations:

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

The handwriting appearing on specimens Q12 and Q13 was similar in nature previously received in connection with this case and with the above sections of the file of writings pertaining to National Security without being an identification. A photographic copy of this handwriting will not be made and the handwriting will not be placed in the National Security File at this time.

FBI Laboratory

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The instant specimens were examined for code or cipher with negative results. A translation of Q13 is attached hereto.

The above specimens were examined for the presence of secret ink with negative results. The Bureau deemed it advisable to treat these specimens in such fashion as not to stain them. Therefore, the examination to which they were subjected was limited.

The original evidence, specimens Q12 and Q13, was returned to the Office of Censorship August 7, 1945. Photographic copies of this material have been retained for the completion of the Laboratory's files.

ADDENDUM: Non-staining tests were used at the request of Supervisor Whitson of the Security Division. Specimens Q12 and Q13 were returned to Supervisor Whitson August 7, 1945 for his attention and appropriate disposition.

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TRANSLATION FROM THE SPANISH

Guernavaca, Mex.

June 18, 1945

My dear Mr. Lela Miller:

I few lines only in order to be able, although it may be nothing more than by letter, to exchange a few words to which I am certain of receiving an answer, although I see that as formerly I had sent you several letters to which I have not received an answer, which I attribute to bad service in that city. Profiting by these lines I wish to ask you about your son whom I have a great desire to know as now I only knew his name.

I made an effort to write in English but I was not able to, due to the little practice that I have. As you know I am no longer in the city of Mexico now that they have taken away my fellowship which I was rightfully enjoying at the boarding-school but as (its) not being possible I had to come with my parents and begin my studies although badly in Guernavaca where I am now.

Without saying more I remain

Yours truly

Fernando Ferras

#100-331280

Q13

Trans. ABG 8-6-45

ENCLOSURE

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EFT:astp **FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
WASHINGTON D. C.**

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DATE 10-26-2011

To:

SAC New York

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August 13, 1945

There follows the report of the FBI Laboratory on the examination of evidence received from the Office of Censorship on August 7, 1945.

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Date of Declassification Indefinite
Re: 4-17-78~~

J. Edgar Hoover
John Edgar Hoover, Director

ARTHUR ALEXANDROVICH ADAMS
INTERNAL SECURITY - R

YOUR FILE NO.
FBI FILE NO.
LAB. NO.

Examination requested by:

~~APPROPRIATE AGENCIES
AND FIELD OFFICES
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DATE 6-2-78~~

100-331280
D-41285 BE
CP-9448 DV
PC-14908 AZ

Reference:

Bureau

Examination requested:

Watch List

Specimens:

Document - Cryptographic - Secret Writing

Q14 Picture postcard bearing the handwritten address "Dr. Louis Miller 1456 Washington Ave. Miami Beach, Fla. U.S.A." with handwritten message beginning: "Hiya Doc-- This place is breathtaking....." signed "Jere & Irving", postmarked at Acapulco Gro. July 20, 1945..

Result of Examination:

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The handwriting appearing on specimen Q14 was compared with the material of a similar nature previously received in connection with this case and with the appropriate sections of the National Security File without effecting an identification. A photographic copy of this handwriting will not be added to the National Security File unless future developments in this case warrant such action.

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No code or cipher message was revealed in an examination of the submitted evidence.

The above specimens were examined for the presence of secret ink with negative results. The Bureau deemed it advisable to treat these specimens in such

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- Miss Gandy _____
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- Mr. [unclear]*

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FBI SAN ANTONIO 6-26-45 6:49 PM CWT

DIRECTOR

LOAN. ARTHUR ALEXANDROVICH ADAMS. IS R. REFER FIVE IS. RE NEW YORK TELETYPE DATED JUNE TWENTYTHREE LAST CONCERNING POSSIBLE TRAVEL OF SUBJECT TO MEXICO, WHICH STATES THAT IN THE EVENT SUBJECT OR JACOB ARONOFF LEAVES NEW YORK CITY, MEXICAN BORDER STOPS SHOULD BE PLACED WITH CUSTOMS. FURTHER REFERENCE BUREAU TELETYPE DATED MARCH SEVEN LAST WHICH ADVISES CUSTOMS STOPS SHOULD NOT BE PLACED LOCALLY AND THAT IN EVENT SUBJECT LEAVES NEW YORK APPROPRIATE INSTRUCTIONS WILL BE ISSUED BY BUREAU. CUSTOMS STOPS ALREADY IN EFFECT AGAINST ARONOFF'S DEPARTURE. BUREAU REQUESTED TO ADVISE IF PERMISSION GRANTED TO PLACE CUSTOMS STOPS NOW AGAINST SUBJECT, AS IT REQUIRES SEVERAL DAYS FOR THESE STOPS TO BECOME EFFECTIVE AT ALL BORDER CROSSING POINTS AFTER REQUEST FOR SAME IS MADE.

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*cc: Mr. Tolson
"orig. Mr. Ladd"*

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Federal Bureau of Investigation
United States Department of Justice
New York, 7, New York



IN REPLY, PLEASE REFER TO
FILE NO. 100-40164
DES:MB

August 10, 1945

~~CONFIDENTIAL~~

Waffon

Director, FBI

Re: ERIC BERNAY
KEYNOTE RECORDING COMPANY

Dear Sir:

Confidential Informant NYT-269 has continued to furnish information concerning the KEYNOTE RECORDING COMPANY and ERIC BERNAY as president. This concern is located at 522 Fifth Avenue, New York, New York, and it will be recalled that ARTHUR ADAMS, principal subject of instant case, is employed by BERNAY with this company.

For example, on August 6, 1945, this informant reported that ERIC BERNAY contemplated leaving New York for a short vacation of one week to ten days, commencing on August 8, 1945.

Again on June 22, 1945, this informant advised that PAUL ROBESON, the actor and subject of an INTERNAL SECURITY-R investigation, with New York as origin, desired that ERIC BERNAY get in touch with him.

In view of the above information furnished by Informant NYT-269, the services of this informant are being continued.

Very truly yours,

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ON 4-17-78

E. E. Conroy
E. E. CONROY, SAC

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URGENT

To: COMMUNICATIONS SECTION. AUGUST 22, 1945

Transmit the following message to: SAC, NEW YORK

ARTHUR ALEXANDROVICH ADAMS, IS - R. REURTEL AUGUST ELEVEN. SUMMARIZE ACTIVITIES
OF ADAMS TO DATE. FURNISH IDENTIFICATION OF THREE WOMEN WHO ACCOMPANIED ADAMS
AND ENZO ARDIZONE TO KENOSA LAKE.

HOOVER.

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- Mr. Egan _____
- Mr. Hendon _____
- Mr. Pennington _____
- Mr. Quinn Tamm _____
- Mr. Nease _____
- Miss Gandy _____

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Mr E. A. Tamm	
Mr Clegg	
Mr Glavin	
Mr Ladd	
Mr Nichols	
Mr Rosen	
Mr Tracy	
Mr Carson	
Mr Egan	
Mr Gurnea	
Mr Hendon	
Mr Pennington	
Mr Quinn Tamm	
Mr Nease	
Miss Gandy	

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WASH FROM NEW YORK 1 11 1-47 P
DIRECTOR U R G E N T

AWE. ARTHUR ALEXANDROVICH ADAMS, IS - R. REFER FIVE IS. SUBJECT DEPARTED NYC FIVE PM., AUGUST TENTH, WITH ENRICO ~~ARDIZONE~~ AND THREE UNIDENTIFIED WOMEN. PROCEEDED BY CAR TO KENOZA LAKE, SULLIVAN COUNTY, NY, ARRIVING ELEVEN PM SAME DATE. KENOZA LAKE IS SMALL RESORT COMMUNITY ABOUT ONE HUNDRED TWENTY MILES FROM NYC AND TWENTY MILES FROM WOODBOURNE, NY, WHERE ASSOCIATE ERIC BERNAY VACATIONING SINCE WEDNESDAY LAST. SURVEILLANCE BEING MAINTAINED AT KENOSA LAKE TO EXTENT PRACTICABLE UNDER EXISTING DIFFICULT CIRCUMSTANCES.

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WASHINGTON FROM NEW YORK 29 22 6-22 PM

DIRECTOR ROUTINE

QUIZ. PHILIP H. LEVY, IS R. LEVY, WHO WAS FORMERLY IN BUSINESS WITH ARTHUR ADAMS, KNOWN SOVIET AGENT AND PRINCIPAL SUSPECT IN COMRAP CASE, AND WHO KNOWS MANY OF ADAMS' FRIENDS, RECEIVED A LETTER FROM BAER FRIEDMAN, 1231 N.W. HOYT STREET, PORTLAND, ON AUGUST THIRTEENTH. REQUEST FRIEDMAN BE FULLY IDENTIFIED IN VIEW OF FACT THAT ADAMS LEFT NYC ON FEBRUARY TWENTYFIFTH, FORTYFIVE AND TRAVELLED TO PORTLAND, RETURNING TO NYC MARCH FOURTH. ONLY CONTACT MADE DURING TRIP WAS A TELEPHONE CALL TO UNKNOWN PERSON IN PORTLAND.

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PORTLAND ADVISED.

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- Mr Coffey
- Mr Glavin
- Mr Ladd
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- Mr Rosen
- Mr Tracy
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- Mr Gurnea
- Mr Hendon
- Mr Pennington
- Mr Quinn Tamm

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DIRECTOR URGENT

QUIZ. ARTHUR ALEXANDROVICH ADAMS. IS - R. REFER FIVE IS. REURTEL
 AUGUST TWENTYSECOND. SUBJECT PRESENTLY AT SIMMONS HOTEL, KENOZA LAKE,
 WHICH IS LOCATED ACROSS ROAD FROM COTTAGES OF ENZO AND PETER ARDIZONE.
 SPENDS TIME READING, FISHING AND BOATING, NO PERTINENT CONTACTS MADE
 AND CORRESPONDENCE LIMITED TO KEYNOTE EMPLOYEES, VICTORIA STONE AND
 IRENE MILLER. HAS CORRESPONDED WITH STONE BY PHONE. PLANS TO RETURN
 NYC ABOUT NINE AM, AUGUST TWENTY SEVENTH. SUBJECT HAS TOLD POSTMASTER,
 KENOZA AND OTHERS HE HAS LOST TWO SONS IN WAR. HAD CONVERSATION
 WITH PM AND BROKE DOWN AND CRIED AND ENZO WHO WAS PRESENT ADVISED SUBJECT
 BREAKS DOWN WHENEVER HE TALKS ABOUT IT. FURTHER ON VJ DAY WHEN ANNOUNCE-
 MENT MADE AT DINNER OF SURRENDER SUBJECT LAID HEAD ON TABLE, CRIED AND
 LEFT ROOM. HAS ALSO TOLD PM HE IS A RETIRED CHEMIST. WOMEN COMPANIONS
 ON TRIP IDENTIFIED AS SISTERS OF ENZO, NAMELY LAURA, GILDER AND LEVIRE,
 ALL SINGLE. ENZO ARDIZONE AKA VINCENT. HIS NAME AND THAT OF BROTHER
 PETER APPEARED IN ADDRESS BOOK OF VICTORIA STONE. BOTH EMPLOYED AT
 GLOVE MANUFACTURING CONCERN, NYC. BOTH BORN PALERMO, ITALY BUT ARE
 US CITIZENS. NY INDICES REFLECT A LAURA ARDIZONE SIGNED NINETEEN
 FORTY THREE C. P. NOMINATING LIST. INDICES NEGATIVE AS TO REST OF
 FAMILY.

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Mr. Rosen	
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Mr. Carson	
Mr. Egan	
Mr. Gurnea	
Mr. Hendon	
Mr. Pennington	
Mr. Quinn	
Mr. Nease	
Miss Gandy	

J. P. [Signature]

WASH FROM NEW YORK 30 27 7-02 P

DIRECTOR ROUTINE

LEAN. RE ARTHUR ALEXANDROVICH ADAMS, IS - R. ADAMS RETURNED TO NYC FROM KENOSHA LAKE NY SEVEN PM, SUNDAY AUGUST TWENTYSIX FORTYFIVE.

PHYSICAL SURVEILLANCE OF ADAMS, NYC, INDICATES ACTIVITIES ROUTINE SINCE RETURN.

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cc Mr. Whitaker

FYP:DES
100-63983

Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : Director, FBI

DATE: July 18, 1945

FROM : SAC, New York

SUBJECT: ARTHUR ALEXANDROVICH ADAMS
Internal Security - R (Refer 5 I.S.)

As the Bureau is aware DOROTHEA KEEN ADAMS, wife of the captioned subject, is believed to be presently residing in the Soviet Union. It is also known that she has sent cables to IRENE MILLER, SAMUEL NOVICK and JACOB ARONOFF from that country and further has been the recipient of cables and letters from the last named individual. All of these persons, namely MILLER, NOVICK, and ARONOFF are close associates of the subject.

Recently informants NYT 244 and 314, whose identities are known to the Bureau, have reported that IRENE MILLER is apparently buying clothes for DOROTHY ADAMS, and an unidentified woman, also in Russia, named "ELANIA". The same informants advise that both IRENE and ARTHUR indicated they had heard from the latter's wife and she had requested these clothes. Further, ADAMS told informants he had written his wife a letter.

The names of all the individuals mentioned heretofore have already been placed on the National Watch List and back traffic searches have been made. However, only a few of the cables, and none of the letters, known to have been sent, were found. The information supplied by the named informants would indicate that there are even more communications being transmitted between these parties, of which there is no knowledge at all. Checks have been made in New York City of all the cables going to Russia through RCA, MACKAY RADIO and WESTERN UNION since April 1945 but with negative results. Likewise, investigation has been conducted in an attempt to locate any packages being forwarded to DOROTHEA ADAMS, but to no avail.

In view of the failure of these checks it is believed that possibly the individuals involved are using assumed names. Therefore, it is requested that the Bureau take the necessary steps to ascertain, if possible, just what the subject's wife is doing in Russia at this time; if she has any official status there; with whom she is living; and where is her husband supposed to be. According to a report of the Washington Field Office this woman registered as an American citizen in January of 1944 in Moscow, and it is possible that considerable information concerning her and ARTHUR ADAMS can be gathered there.

According to the New York files the last known address for DOROTHEA ADAMS was Kirchistan, Frouhze, Ovlitza Maxim Gorki, 9, USSR.

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WASH FROM NEW YORK 27 1945 7:35 P
DIRECTOR URGENT

YORK. ARTHUR ALEXANDROVICH ADAMS, IS - R.
RELET TO BUREAU IN ABOVE CAPTIONED MATTER DATED JULY EIGHTEENTH NINE-
TEEN FORTYFIVE WHEREIN BUREAU WAS REQUESTED TO ASCERTAIN STATUS OF DORO-
THEA KEEN IN RUSSIA. IT HAS SINCE BEEN DETERMINED THAT A CABLEGRAM
WAS SENT BY IRENE MILLER FEBRUARY SEVENTH, FORTYFIVE WHICH WAS ADDRESSED
TO DOROTHEA KEEN, BOLSHOI PIONERSKY PEREULOK EIGHT, APARTMENT SIXTY-
EIGHT, MOSCOW USSR, INDICATING THAT THIS IS POSSIBLY HER PRESENT LOCA-
TION IN RUSSIA RATHER THAN THE PREVIOUSLY KNOWN ADDRESS SET OUT IN
REFERENCE LETTER.

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

LW:WEMJ

TO : Mr. D. M. Ladd

DATE: July 27, 1945

FROM : J. C. Strickland

SUBJECT: ARTHUR ALEXANDROVICH ADAMS
INTERNAL SECURITY - R

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- Mr. Tracy
- Mr. Mohr
- Mr. Carson
- Mr. Hendon
- Mr. Mumford
- Mr. Jones
- Mr. Quinn Tamm
- Tele. Room
- Mr. Nease
- Miss Beahm
- Miss Gandy

You will recall that Arthur Alexandrovich Adams, the principal Soviet espionage agent operating in New York City without benefit of official cover, is married to one Dorothea Keen, a woman of American birth who is residing in Russia. Dorothea Keen also uses the name Dorothea Adams.

She has resided in the Soviet Union, with the exception of one or two short trips to the United States, since 1921. She is reliably reported to be connected with the Soviet Secret Intelligence Service (NKVD) in Moscow, but nevertheless has continued to register from time to time with the Embassy in Moscow as an American citizen. Her last known address is Bolshoi Pionersky Pereulok 8, Apartment 68, Moscow, USSR.

ACTION:

It is respectfully requested that Mr. Frederick Lyon of the Department of State be sounded out on the possibility of the State Department's representatives in Moscow ascertaining the nature of the address given for Dorothea Keen or Dorothea Adams and the nature of her present occupation in the Soviet Union, particularly whether she has any official status there and with whom she is residing. It would also be desirable, if possible, to determine what representations she would make with regard to the location of her husband.

Under no circumstances, of course, should any indication be made to her that her husband's location in the United States is known or that he is even known to be residing in the Western Hemisphere.

Staff report is regarding this wife from Moscow 9/4/45
7/30/45

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Federal Bureau of Investigation
United States Department of Justice

NEW YORK, N. Y.

100-63983
HHH:AL

September 12, 1945

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Director, FBI

Re: ^①ARTHUR ALEXANDROVICH ADAMS
INTERNAL SECURITY (R)

Dear Sir:

Reference is made to our letter dated May 24, 1945 in above captioned matter wherein there was summarized a number of instances, which have indicated that ADAMS and some of his associates are fully aware of the fact they are under investigation and surveillance.

On September 2, 1945, Confidential Informant NYM-114 advised that ADAMS and JULIUS HEIMAN were visiting at the apartment of VICTORIA STONE at 39 W. 55th Street. Informant, on this occasion, was able to ascertain that ADAMS complained to JULIUS HEIMAN that he was being followed. HEIMAN advised him that he should challenge the persons following him and ask them what they were following him for. The Informant was unable to obtain any more details concerning this incident as the rest of the conversation was inaudible to the Informant.

Details of this instance are being furnished for informational purposes.

Very truly yours,

DECLASSIFIED BY 2909 DJS/ML
ON 4-17-78

E. E. CONROY
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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Form No. 1

THIS CASE ORIGINATED AT **NEW YORK**

NY FILE NO. 100-79081 ETS

REPORT MADE AT NEW YORK	DATE WHEN MADE 9/12/45	PERIOD FOR WHICH MADE 7/23, 31; 8/1, 2/45	REPORT MADE BY EDWARD J. DISTELHORST
TITLE SABINA ROTHKOPF ADAMS, was.		CHARACTER OF CASE INTERNAL SECURITY - R (Refer 5-IS)	

SYNOPSIS OF FACTS:

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VICTOR TEICH and mother, Mrs. ANNA TEICH, with whom SABINA formerly resided, advised that SABINA volunteered no information to them regarding ARTHUR ADAMS or past background with him but frequently mentioned son who returned to Russia but of whom she has not heard for seven yrs. and whose present whereabouts are unknown. SABINA, in personal interview, advised she was born 8/23/89 in Lodz, Poland; her correct name is SABINA ROTHKOPF, her maiden name which she resumed following divorce from ADAMS in Russia in 1921. Stated she married ADAMS in Lodz, Poland, prior to 1912 but declined to specify date; she and son, ALEXANDER ADAMS, born 4/5/10 in Riga, Russia, joined ADAMS in 1914 in NYC where they resided, with exception of 1916 or 1917 in Detroit, Michigan, until 1921 when they returned to Russia. SABINA advised ADAMS was born in interior of Russia but furnished no information regarding him or his activities prior to their marriage and subsequent to their divorce but stated she heard he had died. Her reluctance in elaborating upon events of her life with ADAMS indicated unpleasantness with him. No indication that she is aware of ADAMS' presence in NYC. In 1923 SABINA came to Canada, became Canadian citizen, trained and worked as nurse, was joined in 1929 by son who later returned to Russia for service in Russian Army. In 1943 she entered US for residence being employed in Brooklyn, NY, as practical nurse. Stated she now plans to remain in US but expressed desire to join son wherever he is and, if possible, would travel to Russia to do so.

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REFERENCE:

Bureau File No. 100-331280.
Bureau letter, 7/9/45, entitled, "ARTHUR ALEXANDROVICH
ADAMS, INTERNAL SECURITY - R."
Report of Special Agent EDWARD J. DISTELHORST, New York,
7/30/45.

DETAILS:

On July 23, 1945, VICTOR TEICH was interviewed at his office, THE DISTILLED BRANDS DISTRIBUTING COMPANY, 255-31 Northern Boulevard, Great Neck, Long Island, by Special Agent HUGHITT H. HINDERAKER and the writer for information in his possession concerning SABINA ROTHKOFF ADAMS' background and activities. Mr. TEICH advised that SABINA had come to live with his mother, Mrs. ANNA TEICH, at her apartment at 1245 Eastern Parkway, Brooklyn, New York, in May, 1944, through the recommendation of Mrs. ALFRED WEINSTEIN, also of 1245 Eastern Parkway, a friend of SABINA, on the belief that SABINA, a nurse, would be a satisfactory companion for his mother who was then in poor health. He stated that he did not know the subject well although he had seen her and spoken to her while visiting his mother, and that she left his mother's apartment on May 1, 1945, to take a position as nurse upstate in New York for the summer months. Mr. TEICH arranged that his mother be personally interviewed at her summer residence, 826 Meehan Avenue, Far Rockaway, Long Island, New York, for further information concerning SABINA.

Accordingly, Mrs. ANNA TEICH was interviewed the same day and advised that according to the information she had gained while the two women were living together, SABINA originally came from Russia; had lived in France and in Canada for twenty years and had come to the United States in 1943. She added that she believed that SABINA had previously lived in the United States and in New York City but that it was not known to her during which years and for what length of time. She stated that while she was in Canada she had trained as a nurse; had formerly been employed in the tuberculosis sanitarium there and that since her arrival in the United States, she has been employed as a practical nurse for various families throughout Brooklyn.

She stated that she did not know whether the name ROTHKOFF was SABINA's maiden name or her married name but that she did know that SABINA had been married and either separated or divorced from her husband many years ago. She stated that SABINA had volunteered to her no information concerning her former husband and hence she, Mrs. TEICH, had not questioned her regarding him realizing that SABINA evidently did not care to discuss her past background with him. She added, however, that she gained the impression that he might still be

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living inasmuch as she believed SABINA would have mentioned his death in the event he were now dead. She stated that SABINA had never exhibited to her any picture of him.

Mrs. TEICH advised that SABINA had spoken considerably about her son who would now be about thirty-five years of age and who had resided with her in Canada and who had left Canada for Russia and from whom SABINA has received no word for the past seven years. She stated that SABINA apparently had no knowledge of her son's whereabouts or what he was doing but had also stated she would like to go to Russia to attempt to locate him if and when she has sufficient funds to do so. Mrs. TEICH stated that SABINA had in her possession a picture of herself and her son taken when the son was very young.

Mrs. TEICH stated that SABINA appeared to be sympathetic towards COMMUNISM and Russia inasmuch as she read Russian magazines and had expressed a desire to spend her old age in Russia. Concerning her outside activities, however, she advised that SABINA associated primarily with friends whom she met in her nursing work, the names of whom she did not know, and that her main entertainment was attending musical concerts. She stated that according to information she had received from SABINA, SABINA had one brother at Ellenville, New York, a brother and a sister in France, and a brother in South America, the names of whom she did not know.

She added that approximately a year ago SABINA's nephew, PIERRE, thirteen years of age but whose last name she did not know, was brought to the United States from France with a group of children through the efforts of the WORKMEN'S CIRCLE INSURANCE ORGANIZATION and placed in a home at New Rochelle, New York, for the duration of the war. She stated that SABINA frequently buys clothes and furnishes spending money to this boy. (It is noted that reference report shows that on April 14, 1945, Mr. P. ROTKOPF whose return address was in care of Mr. CECILE D. HAMMERLING, 143 Beachmont Drive, New Rochelle, New York, sent a letter to SABINA. It is believed that the sender of this letter is identical with the above mentioned PIERRE, nephew of SABINA, the subject.)

Mrs. TEICH stated that for the summer months SABINA was residing and working as a nurse at the WORKMENS CIRCLE SANITARIUM at Liberty, New York; that when she left her apartment in May she requested permission to leave a trunk containing books and personal possessions with Mrs. TEICH until September when she desired to return to reside with her. At the same time, however, Mrs. TEICH had an opportunity to rent the room to another friend of hers for the summer

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months, therefore, SABINA left her trunk with the apartment superintendent at 1245 Eastern Parkway. Mrs. TEICH stated that she doubts that her room would be available for SABINA when she returns to Brooklyn this fall inasmuch as it was the intention of the present occupant of the room to say with her. Mrs. TEICH stated that she believed that SABINA would return to Brooklyn this fall for residence and that she would not return to Canada inasmuch as SABINA had told her that ^{when} she left Canada in 1943, she had been informed by Canadian officials that she was needed there as a nurse and that if she took up residence in the United States she would not be permitted to take up subsequent residence in Canada. Mrs. TEICH concluded that she believed that SABINA had sufficient funds to cover her everyday living expenses but that she had no source of income other than her salary as a nurse.

It was subsequently ascertained that SABINA had left her employment at the WORKMENS CIRCLE SANITARIUM at Liberty, New York, on June 30, 1945, and had returned to Brooklyn, New York, and was presently residing at the apartment of M. HELVARG, 1199 Eastern Parkway, telephone number President 3-3034. (The indices of the New York Field Division were checked with negative results regarding M. HELVARG. It is noted, however, that Mrs. HELVARG is a nurse friend of SABINA whom SABINA knew in Canada when both were employed at Mount Sinai Sanitarium for the tubercular at Ste Agathe Des Monts, Quebec, Canada.)

On August 1, 1945, SABINA was interviewed at her present residence by Special Agent HUGHITT H. HINDERAKER and the writer. At that time she exhibited a birth certificate which showed that BINA ROTKOFF, daughter of OJZERA ROTKOFF and BAJHE NOGACZOW, was born at Lodz, Poland, August 23, 1889. SABINA advised that the name NOGACZOW was her mother's maiden name and that in Poland it was also known as NOGACHT and that the part of Poland in which Lodz is situated was considered a Russian possession prior to World War I. She explained that "BINA" is a variation of the name SABINA and that ROTKOFF is the correct spelling of her own maiden name but that in the course of her travels the name has been unintentionally misspelled on various records. She added that she currently uses the name SABINA ROTKOPE or ROTKOFF - as the name is most generally spelled in the United States.

SABINA stated that she first left Lodz, Poland, in November, 1914, with her son, ALEXANDER ADAMS, who was born April 5, 1910 at Riga, Russia, to join her husband, ARTHUR ADAMS, whom she married in Lodz, Poland, prior to 1912 and who had been residing in New York City for about two years prior to her coming here. She declined to give the date of their marriage but indicated that she was married just once - to ADAMS. She stated that she did not know whether ADAMS was ever in the United States prior to 1910 and that he was not a United

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States citizen. She advised that he was born in Russia, date unknown, and that the Russian equivalent of the name ADAMS would be ADAMOFF. When specifically questioned as to whether ADAMS was born in Russia proper or in Poland under Russian control, she advised that he was born in the interior of Russia.

SABINA stated that subsequent to her joining ADAMS in New York City in 1914 she and her son and ADAMS resided in New York City until 1916 or 1917 when they resided in Detroit, Michigan; that they returned to New York City where they resided until 1921 when they returned to Moscow and Leningrad, Russia, where she was divorced from ADAMS. She stated that she could not recall the name of the city in which they were divorced. In December, 1921, she and ALEXANDER ADAMS, her son, returned to Lodz, Poland, where she joined her parents and where she resumed the use of her maiden name, ROTKOPF. In 1923 she travelled to Germany where she left ALEXANDER ADAMS, her son, in a boarding school at Karlsruhe, and she then joined her sister, STEPHANIE BOURGOIN at Paris, France, and the two of them proceeded to Canada where she trained as a nurse, ten years of which were spent at the MOUNT SINAI SANITARIUM for the Tubercular at Ste Agathe Des Montes, Quebec. She resided in Canada until January 25, 1943, when she entered the United States for residence, since which date she has been employed at the BROOKLYN WOMEN'S HOSPITAL at 1395 Eastern Parkway; the BROOKLYN THOROCIC HOSPITAL, 240 Kingston Avenue; and the CROWN HEIGHTS NURSES REGISTRY, 591 Crown Street, all of Brooklyn, New York, through which latter organization she has received assignments with private families for practical nursing duties.

Concerning ARTHUR ADAMS, SABINA stated that he remained in Russia following their divorce in 1921 and that the only information she had subsequently received concerning him was that he died a few years later, date unknown. She could not verify this source of information. Throughout the interview it was noted that her reluctance in elaborating upon the events of her life connected with ADAMS clearly indicated that ADAMS caused her a great deal of unhappiness. She stated in fact that she had "lived to forget that experience."

SABINA stated that her son, ALEXANDER, joined her in Canada in 1929 and resided there with her until 1933 or 1934, specific date not recalled, but prior to the Russian-German War, when he, having maintained his Russian Citizenship, was called to Russia to serve in the Russian Army as an electrical engineer. She stated that she has had no word from him for the last several years but that she received information through a friend who also had a son in the Russian Army that as of November, 1941, ALEXANDER had been sent to the Russian Front with the Russian Army. She stated that her efforts through inquiry of the Russian Consulate in New York City to learn of ALEXANDER's present whereabouts

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had been to no avail. She expressed a desire to hear of him and stated that if he could be located she would join him wherever he is and, if possible, would travel to Russia to do so. She stated that she now plans to remain in the United States unless she receives word from her son which would cause her to join him in some other country.

SABINA listed the following relatives:

Brothers	DAVID ROTKOPF, Box 133, Ellenville, New York. AARON ROTKOPF, Box 134, Ellenville, New York.
Sisters	STEPHANIE BOURGOIN, a French citizen, now residing in France, formerly re- sided with her in Canada until 1930 or 1931. SABINA stated that through the war she has attempted to assist her sister but has been unsuccessful until recently when she has been sending food parcels to her. She stated that her sister being Jewish had been in hiding throughout the German occupation in France. MARIE GERZONOVITZ, <i>(New York)</i> Gavilan 2589, Buenos Aires, <u>Argentina</u> . (It is noted that the results of the

mail cover maintained on SABINA as recorded in referenced report shows that SABINA has recently received correspondence from both of her sisters.)

A physical surveillance of the subject immediately following this interview revealed no evidence that she made any contacts pertinent to instant investigation. It should be noted that current investigation has shown no personal contact with ARTHUR ALEXANDROVICH ADAMS or any of his close associates, and that there is no indication that the subject is aware of ADAMS' present residence in New York City.

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NEW YORK FIELD DIVISION

AT BROOKLYN, N.Y.- Will maintain and follow the results of the mail cover placed on subject's mail at 1199 Eastern Parkway, Brooklyn 13, New York.

Will maintain sufficient current coverage of the activities of the subject and of ARTHUR ADAMS to determine whether the subject contacts or is contacted by ADAMS or any of his associates.

Will endeavor to develop a confidential informant who would be in a position to advise if the subject has in her possession any confidential records or information relative to the birthdate, birthplace and past activities of ARTHUR ADAMS.

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One copy of this report is being furnished to the San Francisco Field Division for its information inasmuch as it is office of origin in the COMRAP investigation in which ARTHUR ADAMS is one of the leading subjects.

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MP TO : Director, FBI

DATE: September 12, 1945

RB FROM : SAC, New York

SUBJECT: SABINA ROTHKOPF ADAMS, was.
INTERNAL SECURITY - R
(Refer 5-IS)
(Bureau File No. 100-331280)

Reference is made to New York letter to the Bureau dated April 13, 1945, entitled, "ARTHUR ALEXANDROVICH ADAMS, INTERNAL SECURITY - R," which letter requested identification through appropriate source of

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Inasmuch as it is now known that MARIE GERZONOVITZ of Cavilan 2589, Buenos Aires, Argentina, is a sister of the above captioned subject, it is believed that further investigation concerning this identification is unwarranted. It is, therefore, requested that investigation in this matter be discontinued.

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IN REPLY, PLEASE REFER TO
 FILE NO. 100-63983
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July 26, 1945

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Director, FBI

Re: ARTHUR ALEXANDROVICH ADAMS
 INTERNAL SECURITY - R
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 (Bureau File No. 100-331280)

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 ON 4-17-78

Dear Sir:

Reference is made to reports of SA H. H. Hinderaker in above captioned matter dated December 29, 1944 and April 28, 1945, New York City copies of which were furnished the Boston office and wherein detailed information regarding ADAMS' background and activities were set forth. Investigation has since disclosed that ADAMS opened an account at the Terminal Branch of the Corn Exchange Bank, New York City in June of 1935 and gave as his address on the signature card, 10 West 96th Street, New York City.

Inquiry at this address shows that SAMUEL J. NOVICK occupied Apartment 16A there from October 1, 1933 to September 30, 1937. Records of the building management reflect that NOVICK, prior to going to this address, had resided on Mt. Airy Road, Croton-on-Hudson, New York for three months and that one MAX EASTMAN had been his landlord. There was no record of ADAMS residing in the apartment house. It is believed that this address was merely a mailing address for ADAMS. NOVICK is an important associate of ADAMS, who made fraudulent statements to an immigration officer in an attempt to get ADAMS into the United States from Canada in 1937. Details concerning ADAMS' contact with NOVICK are set forth on pages 88-89 of the second reference report.

MAX EASTMAN, given by NOVICK as his former landlord, is believed to be identical with the MAX EASTMAN, a roving editor of the Reader's Digest and well-known author who spent a great deal of time as a correspondent in Russia and who has been very cooperative when interviewed by Bureau Agents on previous occasions. MAX EASTMAN maintains his residence in New York City but is spending the summer at Chilmark, Massachusetts.

Inasmuch as EASTMAN was apparently familiar with SAMUEL J. NOVICK in 1933, it is possible he may have continued this association for some time and through NOVICK may have known ADAMS and may have information

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as to when ADAMS came to the United States prior to going to Canada and information as to just how and when ADAMS effected his return to the United States from the U.S.S.R. It is also highly possible that EASTMAN met ADAMS and his wife, DOROTHEA KEEN, in Russia as they are known to have associated with some of the Americans residing in Russia.

The Boston Office is requested to discreetly interview MAX EASTMAN at Chilmark, Massachusetts to obtain all information he may have relative to ADAMS and particularly any information regarding ADAMS' association with NOVICK and his method of return to the United States after leaving this country in 1933 as a Russian official.

It is suggested that an Agent thoroughly familiar with Russian and Communist matters contact MAX EASTMAN, as it is believed the interview would thus be most productive inasmuch as EASTMAN is an authority in these matters and may make reference to various Communist functionaries, activities and connections both in the United States and in Russia.

A photograph of ADAMS was furnished the Boston office as an enclosure of a letter in above captioned matter dated April 23rd, 1945. There is being enclosed herewith two additional photographs of ADAMS. One of these is believed to have been taken a number of years ago and might be more easily recognized by EASTMAN if he had known ADAMS in Russia. The other was obtained recently in New York City.

It is requested that this matter be handled as expeditiously as possible.

Very truly yours,

E. E. Conroy
E. E. CONROY,
SAC

cc Boston (2 enclosures)

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THIS CASE ORIGINATED AT **NEW YORK, NEW YORK**

FILE NO. **100-16007 MM**

REPORT MADE AT BOSTON, MASS.	DATE WHEN MADE 8/6/45	PERIOD FOR WHICH MADE 8/1/45	REPORT MADE BY LAWRENCE G. HEALEY
TITLE ARTHUR ALEXANDROVICH ADAMS, WAS.			CHARACTER OF CASE INTERNAL SECURITY - R REFER 5 IS

SYNOPSIS OF FACTS:

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MAX EASTMAN has no recollection of **SAMUEL J. NOVICK** and **ARTHUR ADAMS**.

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ON 4-12-28

REFERENCE

Bureau File 100-331280.

New York Field Division letter to Bureau dated 7/20/45

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DETAILS

AT CHILMARK, MARTHA'S VINEYARD, MASS.

MAX EASTMAN and his wife, who reside at East Pasture, Chilmark, Martha's Vineyard, were interviewed by Special Agent William H. Carpenter and the writer.

Mr. EASTMAN advised that he formerly owned property on Mt. Airy Road, Croton-on-Hudson, New York, and that he had been in the habit of leasing his apartment while he was away for the summer.

Mr. EASTMAN had no recollection of **SAMUEL J. NOVICK**, although he vaguely recalled that this person had rented an apartment from him at one time. **Mr. EASTMAN** has never met or heard of **ARTHUR ADAMS**. He was shown photographs of **ARTHUR ADAMS**, with negative results.

He was also not acquainted with **SABINA RATHKOPF** or **DOROTHEA KEEN**.

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FILE NO. **100-9635 LMC**

REPORT MADE AT BUFFALO, NEW YORK	DATE WHEN MADE 9-24-45	PERIOD FOR WHICH MADE 8/4;9/17/45	REPORT MADE BY RALPH J. GREGG
TITLE ARTHUR ALEXANDROVICH ADAMS, was.			CHARACTER OF CASE INTERNAL SECURITY - R REFER 5 IS

SYNOPSIS OF FACTS:

Stops placed with U.S. Immigration & Naturalization Service and Customs at all ports of entry on Niagara Frontier; also with Canadian Immigration Authorities and with American Airlines which has daily flight from Buffalo to Toronto, Ont., Can.

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REFERENCE:

New York letter to Washington Field dated July 20, 1945.

DETAILS:

Pursuant to the instructions contained in the letter from the New York Field Office dated July 20, 1945, to the Washington Field Office and other offices, appropriate stops were placed with the Inspector in Charge of the Immigration and Naturalization Service, Buffalo, New York, and the Collector of Customs, Buffalo, New York, so that appropriate coverage would be maintained at all ports of entry or exit in the Niagara Frontier area, including the bridges, ferries and railroad bridges in the vicinity of Buffalo and Niagara Falls, New York.

Descriptive data and stops were also placed with the Canadian Immigration Authorities at Fort Erie and Niagara Falls, Ontario, Canada, through through the cooperation of Inspector E. JOHNS of the Canadian Immigration Service.

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A stop was also placed with Mr. AVERILL, Passenger Traffic Manager of the American Airlines, which has a daily flight from Buffalo to Toronto, Ontario, Canada, so that this office would be immediately notified in the event subject endeavored to secure transportation out of the United States by that method. D

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THE NEW YORK FIELD DIVISION

AT NEW YORK CITY

Will advise Buffalo Field Division when the stops described
in body of this report can be cancelled.

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HH:PYB

100-63983

TO : Director, F.B.I.

DATE: September 25, 1945

FROM : SAC, New York

SUBJECT: ARTHUR ALEXANDROVICH ADAMS
INTERNAL SECURITY (R)

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Reference is made to our letter of April 20, 1945 wherein information regarding one FRANK P. FIFER, a contact of EDWARD T. MANNING, was set out. Preliminary inquiries made by this office failed to reflect any derogatory information regarding FIFER. As was requested in referenced letter, it is desired that any information available in Bureau files regarding FRANK P. FIFER be furnished the New York Office inasmuch as it is believed an interview with FIFER might be productive of information regarding EDWARD T. MANNING and ARTHUR ADAMS and that this interview should be conducted as soon as possible.

Reference is also made to our letter dated July 18, 1945 wherein the Bureau was requested to attempt to ascertain through the appropriate sources the status of ARTHUR ADAMS's wife, DOROTHEA KEEN, who is residing in Russia. Further information regarding ADAMS' continued communication with DOROTHEA KEEN through a third party has been forwarded the Bureau and the Bureau is again requested to furnish any information it may have been able to obtain concerning DOROTHEA KEEN's exact standing in Russia.

Reference is further made to our letter of August 14, 1945 wherein attention was directed to the continuance of the extensive coverage of ADAMS and various possible alternative actions were suggested. Inasmuch as this situation remains unchanged, the Bureau is again being requested to advise what positive steps can now be undertaken in connection with this investigation.

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date 10/18/45*

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TO : Director, F.B.I.

DATE: September 27, 1945

FROM : SAC, New York

SUBJECT: ARTHUR ALEXANDROVICH ADAMS
INTERNAL SECURITY (R)

W. G. Swann

Confidential Informant NYT 244 has been utilized in the coverage of the activities of ARTHUR ADAMS at his room, No. 1103, in the PETER COOPER HOTEL, 130 E. 39th Street, New York, New York.

On September 22, 1945 this informant provided information indicating that ADAMS planned to accompany Mr. ERIC BERNAY on an inspection of a record manufacturing plant in Long Island, thus aiding in the maintenance of the continuous physical surveillance of ADAMS.

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Services of this informant are being continued because of the aid in conducting the physical surveillance of ADAMS and in providing information regarding his contacts and activities.

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SAC, New York

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John Edgar Hoover - Director, Federal Bureau of Investigation

ARTHUR ALEXANDROVICH ADAMS
INTERNAL SECURITY - R

Reference is made to your letter of September 27, 1945, requesting authorization to continue the mail cover on Arthur Adams at his residence at the Peter Cooper Hotel, 130 East Thirty-ninth Street, New York City.

Because of the importance attached to the contacts of Adams, who is a Soviet espionage agent, authority is granted for the continuance of this mail cover.

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HH:FYB
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TO : Director, F.B.I.

DATE: September 27, 1945

FROM : SAC, New York

SUBJECT: ARTHUR ALEXANDROVICH ADAMS
INTERNAL SECURITY (R)

Authority is requested for the continuance of a mail cover on ARTHUR ADAMS at his residence, the PETER COOPER HOTEL, 130 E. 39th Street, New York, New York.

This mail cover has been in effect for a considerable period and in view of the importance attached to the contacts of ADAMS, who is a Russian agent, this coverage is being continued until further notice from the Bureau.

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Made at: NEW YORK	Date: 9/15/45	Period: 3/16-7/31/45	Made by: HUGHITT H. HINDERAKER
Title: ARTHUR ALEXANDROVICH ADAMS with alias	Character: INTERNAL SECURITY - R. REFER 5-IS		

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SYNOPSIS:

ADAMS continuing residence in NYC and association with VICTOR L. STONE, JULIUS HEIMAN, JACOB ARONOFF and others. Was contacted on one occasion by EDWARD T. MANNING, former DSM employee, now in Army in Pacific area. Also continues to see MARCIA HISKEY, wife of Lt. CLARENCE HISKEY, former DSM employee, also in Pacific. IRENE MILLER has assisted subject in communicating with his wife, DOROTHEA KEEN, in Moscow, and in sending her parcels of clothes through World Tourists, Inc., NYC. Now ascertained subject had two bank accounts in NYC, both opened prior to time of his legal entry into US on 5/17/38. SABINA ROTKOPF, first wife of subject, claims he was born in interior of Russia and is Russian citizen. Also advises their son, ALEXANDER, returned to Russia from Canada and when last heard of was in Russian Army. MARKOSHA FISHER, authoress, who knew ADAMS, ROTKOPF, and KEEN in US and Russia, claims latter was believed to be OGPU agent in Russia. Describes ADAMS as "100% party line follower" in 1938. Further states man of ADAMS' rank in Russia with American citizen as wife, was a most unusual situation. Subject previously claimed employment by one WEGMAN of Hollywood, Calif., as machine designer. Investigation reveals WEGMAN manufactured cosmetics and abdominal supporters, and paid ADAMS weekly sum of \$75 from special account opened with cash deposit of \$1875. When this amount paid to subject account was closed. Agreement between WEGMAN and ADAMS executed by JACOB ARONOFF. ARONOFF ascertained

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Synopsis

Continued: to be associating with individuals formerly connected with ^{Edward T.} ARNOLD REUBENS, Soviet agent, who left US in 1938. ARONOFF also believed to have been present when one SWEENEY was solicited to do espionage work for Communist Party. Subject has opened new account at Corn Exchange Bank Trust Company, NYC. Funds obtained from closing of all accounts in January and February, 1945 still undeposited, leaving possibility subject has approximately \$7300 in his possession. Investigation continuing. 11

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DETAILS:

ACTIVITIES AND CONTACTS OF
ARTHUR ALEXANDROVICH ADAMS

The usual routine of ARTHUR ALEXANDROVICH ADAMS, his pertinent activities and contacts up to March 15, 1945 were set out in the reference report. Through the continued physical surveillance of ADAMS and through the information furnished by various confidential informants it has been developed that the general pattern of his activities since that date to the present has remained much the same. ADAMS has stayed in the New York City area the entire period residing in Room 1103 at the PETER COOPER HOTEL, 130 East 39th Street, New York City.

He leaves his hotel room shortly after noon or thereabouts almost invariably and then proceeds to the KEYNOTE RECORDINGS INCORPORATED, 522 Fifth Avenue, New York City where he usually spends several hours. In the evening he contacts VICTORIA STONE either at her place of business, a jewelry store at 510 Madison Avenue, or at her apartment at 39 West 55th Street, New York City. They frequently have dinner together and then often go to a movie or some other form of entertainment. ADAMS stays at VICTORIA STONE's apartment every night almost without exception until one AM in the morning or thereabouts, at which time he returns to his room at the PETER COOPER HOTEL.

Confidential Informant T1 has advised that ADAMS actually has no particular business to conduct at the office of KEYNOTE RECORDINGS INCORPORATED, 522 Fifth Avenue. As has been previously reported, he was acting primarily as a representative of SAMUEL NOVICK, President of the ELECTRONICS CORPORATION of AMERICA, 45 West 18th Street, New York City in laying plans for the establishment of a new record producing plant which was to be primarily financed by NOVICK. However, the informant has advised that this deal fell through mainly because of NOVICK's lack of confidence in ERIC BERNAY, Proprietor of the KEYNOTE RECORDINGS INCORPORATED, who was to have operated the new concern and because of changed war conditions. The output of the proposed plant was to have been purchased almost exclusively by the army at the outset, according to the original plans.

In connection with ADAMS' activities at KEYNOTE RECORDINGS' office, the informant advised that on one occasion ADAMS noted a small strand of parachute shroud cord which he, the informant, had in his possession. ADAMS requested the informant to obtain one hundred yards of this elastic nylon material, if possible. The informant told ADAMS he would attempt to get the material for him. This material, according to the informant, consists of a nylon thread

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that is extremely strong and is manufactured for use as shroud line on parachutes. The parachutes using this particular line were primarily for carrying bombs. The informant advised that if he were able to obtain the material for ADAMS he would question him as to what he planned to use it for and just why he was interested in this particular type of material.

On June 19, 1945, ADAMS reopened his checking account at the CORN EXCHANGE BANK, 1 West 42nd Street, New York City with a deposit of sixteen checks of \$60.55 each. It has been ascertained through a check of the bank account of the KEYNOTE RECORDINGS INCORPORATED that ADAMS is being paid this amount weekly, with checks drawn on the KEYNOTE account. Complete details concerning ADAMS' reopened bank account will be set forth elsewhere in this report.

The bulk of ADAMS' personal effects which was previously reported to have been sent to the residence of SAMUEL MILLER, 1068 Walton Avenue, Bronx, New York has not been returned to his hotel and remains at the above mentioned address as far as is known.

A highly confidential informant who has access to ADAMS' premises at the PETER COOPER HOTEL advised that on July 25, 1945 ADAMS had in his possession in his room the following list of names contained in a small notebook:

✓ MARYN STUDIOS, St
St 4-6265

✓ MANNING (Recording)
57 Boxer Sta.
London S.W. England

✓ National Educational Alliance
Br 9-6603

✓ Jack Moore—sale
S. W.
Salmon -1022 S.W.

✓ Wisconsin Univ.—34
Phi Beta Gamma '02

B10
90 Seneca Lane

✓ - address
- address
- - - 05 Somona Road

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Rev. ~~Trorow~~, Dr. Div.
Unity Church
Scranton, Pennsylvania

B. ~~Putnam~~
Bx 558

Mahwah, N.J. (This is known to be BEVERLY ~~PUTNAM~~, girlfriend of EDWARD T. MANNING, an associate of ADAMS).

~~Jaunsey~~ or possibly J. ~~Jaunsey~~
521 Buteford Avenue
2-5210

Professor Bunt ~~Lacrow~~
New Ann, N. J.

R. H. ~~Macy~~
O-2238 Fl-2284
La-4-6000

The informant also advised that ADAMS possesses a book "HIGH SCHOOL MATHEMATICS FOR HOME STUDY" which bore on the inside of the flyleaf—JOHN J. ASKAY. The informant also noted a sheet of paper, regulation letter size which bore the following figures noted in pencil:

June	.165.00
July	205.00
Aug.	140.00
Sept.	225.00
Oct.	145.00
Nov.	200.00
Dec.	100.00
Jan.	110.00
Feb.	210.00
Mar.	-----
April	120.00
May	80.00
June	-----
Total	1700.00

In this connection it will be recalled that it was previously reported that ADAMS received a check drawn on the KEYNOTE RECORDINGS INCORPORATED in the amount of \$1700 on August 31, 1944 which was apparently in payment for expenses incurred throughout the year. The informant, at that time, furnished

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a photographic copy of a letter from the stationery of the KEYNOTE RECORDINGS INCORPORATED which was signed by MARIAN PERGAM, who is the secretary of ERIC BERNAY indicating that a \$1700 check was in payment for expenses incurred by ADAMS during the past year and requesting of him an itemized statement of these expenses.

A highly confidential source further advised that ADAMS had in his possession in his room a circular from the APPLE GROVE FARM HOUSE at Kenoza Lake, Sullivan County, New York reflecting that he had apparently solicited information regarding a vacation at this location or in some manner had gotten his name on the mailing list of this vacation spot.

ADAMS indicated to Confidential Informant T2 recently that he planned to take a business trip in the near future. He also advised Mrs. COLLETTIE HICKS, who resides in Room 809 at the PETER COOPER HOTEL, that he planned to take a vacation for several weeks duration some place in the country during the hot weather.

Detailed logs reflecting ADAMS' daily activities and contacts have been prepared by the agents who have conducted the physical surveillance of ADAMS. These logs are being retained in the files of the New York Office in this case for possible future reference. The complete information contained in these logs will not be set forth in detail herein but only such information regarding his contacts and activities which, it is believed, at this time pertinent.

MARCH 15, 1945

At 5:30 PM ADAMS left VICTORIA STONE's jewelry store at 510 Madison Avenue, and proceeded by cab to Schraffts' Restaurant at Fifth Avenue and 13th Street. After eating here, he walked to Washington Square Park just south of Fifth Avenue, purchasing a newspaper en route. From approximately 6:55 to 7:00 PM he sat in the park reading his newspaper and then walked to 29 East 11th Street, which is the residence of JACOB BROCHES ARONOFF. At 10:55 PM he left this address carrying a large Gladstone suitcase and a package about the size of a book wrapped in white paper. He proceeded by bus to the PETER COOPER HOTEL entering at 11:25 PM. A highly confidential source has advised that this bag which is presently in ADAMS' room at the PETER COOPER HOTEL is an empty Gladstone travelling bag and agents conducting the physical surveillance were able to observe that ADAMS handled the bag as though it were very light and it was possibly empty at the time he brought it to the hotel from the ARONOFF residence.

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MARCH 17, 1945

At 4:30 PM ADAMS left 522 Fifth Avenue and walked to the Music Room, a record store operated by ERIC BERNAY of KEYNOTE RECORDINGS INCORPORATED. At 5:45 PM he left the Music Room carrying a package wrapped in brown wrapping paper and hailed a taxicab and returned to the Music Room and loaded two bags, one a black leather suitcase and one a gray airplane type luggage case in to the cab. He then entered the cab and proceeded to the Peter Cooper Hotel, New York City where the bags were unloaded and ADAMS entered the hotel with the bags. These were the bags which ADAMS had with him when he returned from his trip west and which had been stored at the Music Room since his return to New York City.

MARCH 19, 1945

Confidential Informant T4 advised that ADAMS contacted an individual identified as Mr. BEPEE and inquired concerning the constructions of some dies. He stated that he would see him at his office at approximately nine o'clock the following day.

MARCH 20, 1945

ADAMS left the Peter Cooper Hotel at 9:00 AM, walked to 103 Park Avenue, a business building, where he entered and took an elevator. It is presumed he contacted the individual whom he had talked to the previous day, i.e. Mr. BEPEE. The purpose of this contact is not known but it is possible that ADAMS was making some inquiry with reference to the recording business, and had agreed to see him at 9:00 AM. He left this address at 9:35 AM and proceeded to 522 Fifth Avenue.

MARCH 21, 1945

At 7:30 PM on this date ADAMS left the PETER COOPER HOTEL, 130 East 39th Street and travelled by bus to the Pennsylvania Hotel, Seventh Avenue and 33rd Street. He then attended a meeting of the PLASTIC INSTITUTE ALUMNI ASSOCIATION which was being held on the 18th Floor of the Pennsylvania Hotel. Agents conducting the surveillance were able to ascertain that persons representing the Russian government and the AMTORG TRADING CORPORATION of New York City were present at this meeting. The meeting was presided over by a Doctor MAX LUFT. An election of officers of the Alumni association was then conducted and it was noted that one FRED DeFEO was nominated as secretary. It has previously been reported that ADAMS has received communications from a FRED DeFEO. It is possible that these communications concerned the meetings of the Plastic

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Institute Alumni Association. After the selection of officers, one CLINTON RECTOR of the CATALYN CORPORATION spoke on the possibilities of plastics in the post-war era. Surveilling agents noted that ADAMS did not take part in the nominating of officers or in the forum discussion following the lecture. Following the adjournment of the meeting, he engaged Mrs. ROY, Recording Secretary of the meeting in conversation for about five minutes. Parts of the conversation which were overheard indicated that it concerned some books which ADAMS was suggesting that she read.

Investigation has previously been conducted concerning the Alumni Association of the Plastic Institute, and the results thereof set forth in previous reports. Special Agent S. W. ROSS obtained the following additional information concerning the meeting which ADAMS attended on March 21st:

Doctor M. G. LUFT, 110-34 73rd Road, Forest Hills, Queens, New York who presided at the meeting, is the past President of the Alumni Association of the Plastic Institute. He advised Agent ROSS that the guests from the AMTORG TRADING CORPORATION who attended the meeting of the Association on March 21, 1945 were invited by him personally. They were invited because he knew of their interest in the plastic field and it is the policy of the Association to invite any person or group who has a special interest in plastics. Dr. LUFT stated that he had not invited any particular individuals from Amtorg but had sent a letter to Amtorg inviting a delegation from that institution. The people from Amtorg who appeared were Mr. and Mrs. KAMENSKY and a Russian chemist whose name he did not recall. According to Dr. LUFT, this was the first time any individual from AMTORG had been present at the meetings as far as he knew. He stated the invitation was purely his own idea and that no other member of the Association had suggested it to him. He made available to Agent ROSS the guest book for the night of March 21, 1945. The only AMTORG representative whose name appeared in the book was V. A. KAMENSKY, previously mentioned, who was described by Dr. LUFT as being Chief of the Installation Department at Amtorg, 210 Madison Avenue, New York City. It is probable that V. A. KAMENSKY referred to by Dr. LUFT is identical with VASSILI KAMENSKY, head of the Soviet Government Purchasing Commission at New York City who maintains offices at AMTORG.

A check of the other names appearing in the guest book for this particular night failed to reveal any names believed to be pertinent to instant matter.

Mr. CALVIN DAVIDSON, a supervisor at the Plastic Institute, 122 East 42nd Street, also aided Agent ROSS in obtaining the above information.

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MARCH 22, 1945

On this date Confidential Informant T4 advised that Miss IRENE MILLER contacted ADAMS and advised him that she would meet him at his office that day at 6:00 PM. Information concerning the identity of IRENE MILLER, a frequent associate of ARTHUR ADAMS has been set forth in previous reports, and further details concerning her activities with ADAMS will be reported herein under a separate heading.

MARCH 23, 1945

At 5:45 PM ADAMS left 522 Fifth Avenue and walked to 39 West 55th Street, the residence of VICTORIA STONE. It was noted by surveilling agents that ADAMS was carrying a black suitcase, 2X18X10" which he left at 39 West 55th Street. It was ascertained further through physical surveillance that ADAMS spent the nights of March 23rd and 24th at the apartment of VICTORIA STONE. VICTORIA STONE was then in Philadelphia visiting relatives. She returned on March 25, 1945.

MARCH 27, 1945

At 5:15 PM on this date ADAMS visited JACOB ARONOFF at his office, 521 Fifth Avenue. ADAMS and ARONOFF left this address together at 6:48 PM and walked to the Dubonnet Restaurant, 45th Street and Fifth Avenue. After eating here they walked to the Stanley Theatre, Broadway and 42nd Street, where they viewed the Soviet film "Wait For Me". At 10:15 PM they left the theatre, parted, and ADAMS returned to the Peter Cooper Hotel entering at 10:50 PM.

MARCH 30, 1945

Confidential Informant T6 advised that at approximately 6:30 PM on this date ARTHUR ADAMS conversed with VICTORIA STONE at which time he advised her he was going to a movie in Brooklyn and that he would not be back until late and, therefore, would be unable to see her. VICTORIA STONE was surprised that he was going to a movie in Brooklyn and quizzed him as to what he planned to see. He finally indicated that he really was not going to a movie but, apparently attempting to be very discreet about a contact he intended in Brooklyn. At 7:25 PM ADAMS left the PETER COOPER HOTEL and for a closely scrutinized all persons and automobiles in the vicinity of He first walked east on 39th Street towards the Allerton Hotel of

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persons and automobiles in the vicinity. He then re-entered the hotel at approximately 7:55 PM. At 8:03 PM he again left the hotel and proceeded by bus to Union Square where he entered the B.M.T. Subway. He left the subway at the Newkirk Avenue stop in Brooklyn, and walked to 618 Marlboro Road. This is the address of MARCIA HISKEY. At approximately 11:30 PM he left this address and returned by B.M.T. Subway to New York City, leaving the subway at 57th Street and walked to 39 West 55th Street, the apartment of VICTORIA STONE.

APRIL 2, 1945

Confidential Informant T6 advised that IRENE MILLER again contacted ADAMS on this date and they arranged to meet again on Wednesday. ADAMS indicated that he did not desire to meet her at her apartment because he felt it would be indiscreet to do so. On this same date it was ascertained through physical surveillance that ADAMS contacted JACOB ARONOFF at his office at 521 Fifth Avenue at 3:25 PM leaving this address at 3:55 PM. Later in the day, according to Confidential Informant T7, ADAMS contacted VICTORIA STONE at her jewelry store, 510 Madison Avenue. They discussed plans for dinner. ADAMS stated that he wanted to eat at Barbettas. VICTORIA stated that she did not like to go there since she had had an affair there when she visited the restaurant with "Jenny". She explained to ADAMS that the manager would not give her a seat with JENNY and spoke in a derogatory manner about the Jews and the black people and asked her why she did not go to Moscow because that is where everybody lives together. ADAMS was surprised at this and stated that he would have made a fuss about it and would have created a scene and advised the press in order to blacken the manager of the restaurant.

APRIL 5, 1945

At 9:40 PM the agents conducting a surveillance of ADAMS noted that IRENE MILLER left the PETER COOPER HOTEL apparently having visited ADAMS. She was noted to be carrying a small black overnight bag when she left the hotel.

APRIL 11, 1945

At 6:30 PM on this date ADAMS left the PETER COOPER HOTEL and proceeded to 29 East 11th Street, the residence of JACOB B. ARONOFF. At 8:20 PM, ADAMS and ARONOFF left this address and walked to DICK'S Restaurant, 65 East

8th Street, where they ate together and then returned to ARONOFF's residence at 29 East 11th Street.

APRIL 12, 1945

At 12:05 AM, ADAMS left 29 East 11th Street, carrying a square package approximately 12x6" and a straw fishing basket. He returned to the PETER COOPER HOTEL.

APRIL 25, 1945

ADAMS again attended a meeting of the Alumni Association of the Plastics Institute at 8:00 PM which was held on the 18th floor of the Pennsylvania Hotel. After attending the meeting he returned to the hotel.

APRIL 28, 1945

On this evening ADAMS was, as usual, at the apartment of VICTORIA STONE, 39 West 55th Street. On this occasion STONE and ADAMS engaged in a discussion concerning JULIUS HEIMAN and particularly discussed the possibility that HEIMAN might suffer another mental collapse. STONE claimed that HEIMAN is "the weakest link in your chain", and claimed that if HEIMAN would break down mentally and consult a conscientious psychiatrist he would feel that he must report to the F.B.I."

Confidential Informant T8 who furnished the information concerning this particular meeting, was unable to overhear the entire conversation but did hear ADAMS and STONE discuss VICTORIA STONE's relationship to ADAMS, at which time STONE apparently discussed the possibility of some type of evidence being in her apartment and that if they were to search her apartment they would find only a few books. STONE advised ADAMS that if HEIMAN started to get any ideas she should tell him that JACK (presumably JACOB ARONOFF who is also known as JACK ARONOFF) is just your lawyer fooling around with your taxes. Speaking of HEIMAN, VICTORIA claimed HEIMAN would suffer a mental breakdown within three months but that nothing say would harm her. There was also discussed at this time the matter of checks being cashed by VICTORIA STONE. It was indicated that ADAMS was critical of VICTORIA STONE's cashing certain types of checks at her store. It is believed that this discussion was brought up by the fact that VICTORIA STONE had recently cashed a check in the amount of \$300 drawn to cash by JULIUS HEIMAN for the

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Julius benefit of JOSE ANTONIO ~~ARZE~~, the Bolivian Revolutionary who is a close friend of ~~HEIMAN~~. The money was to be used for payment to a doctor who was to perform an abortion operation on a girl with whom ARZE had been intimate during his residence in New York City.

APRIL 30, 1945

At 10:55 AM on this date Confidential Informant T3 advised that ADAMS contacted MARCIA HISKEY. Their conversation at this time was primarily social. MARCIA HISKEY told ADAMS about her recent vacation in upstate New York.

MAY 1, 1945

ADAMS left the PETER COOPER HOTEL at 6:15 PM and walked to HARVEY'S SEA FOOD HOUSE, 511 Third Avenue, New York City. Agents conducting the surveillance noted that ADAMS was seated at a table with two women and a man and that he engaged in conversation with the woman directly across the table from him but appeared not to pay any attention to the other couple. They left the table at the same time, the woman leaving the restaurant a few steps ahead of ADAMS. A surveillance of this woman was conducted and it was ascertained that she proceeded to 530 East 138th Street, Bronx, where she entered apartment #15. She was noted to possess a key to this apartment. Further investigation is being conducted to ascertain the identity of this individual.

MAY 2, 1945

ADAMS visited the office of Dr. ~~MILLER~~, 400 West End Avenue, New York City on this date. He left this location from the entrance on the 79th Street side of the building at 7:50 PM and returned to the PETER COOPER HOTEL. It is of interest to note that this is the first contact ADAMS has had with Doctor MILLER since his return to New York City in March 1945, although prior to his leaving the city ADAMS was contacting MILLER almost regularly and appeared to be in almost constant need of medical attention and counsel.

MAY 3, 1945

On this date ADAMS paid his rental for one month in advance the PETER COOPER HOTEL paying in cash. At the time he made this payment exhibited four \$100 bills which bore the following serial numbers:

B 05921226 A
 B 05921227 A
 B 05921228 A
 B 05921229 A

This probably indicates that the number of bills which ADAMS withdrew from his bank prior to leaving New York in February 1944, and which he presumably still has in his personal possession may have serial numbers running consecutively in the order above indicated.

MAY 8, 1945

At 6:30 PM ADAMS left the Peter Cooper Hotel and walked to HARVEY'S SEA FOOD RESTAURANT, 34th Street and Third Avenue, where he had dinner with a woman who was identified as IRENE MILLER. At 7:45 PM, ADAMS left the restaurant alone and walked back to the Peter Cooper Hotel.

MAY 11, 1945

At 4:45 PM ADAMS visited the Harvey's Sea Food Restaurant and met MARCIA HISKEY there. At 5:50 PM he left the restaurant alone and walked to the Peter Cooper Hotel entering at 6:02 PM. At 10:20 PM he left the hotel alone and walked to the 42nd Street Theatre, 42nd Street and Lexington Avenue where he met MARCIA HISKEY in the lobby. It was advised by the surveilling agents that MARCIA HISKEY had left the restaurant before ADAMS did and had proceeded to the Peter Cooper Hotel. She entered the hotel a few minutes before ADAMS and they met at the 42nd Street Theatre previously mentioned. They then walked to the Mayflower Coffee Shop, 45th Street and Broadway entering at 10:25 PM. They left this restaurant at 11:1 PM and walked to the Astor Theatre where they entered at 11:20 PM. On May 12, 1945, ADAMS and HISKEY were observed leaving the Astor Theatre, entering the I.R.T. Subway and ADAMS returned to the Peter Cooper Hotel.

MAY 13, 1945

Confidential Informant T9 has advised that MARCIA HISKEY engaged in a conversation with two individuals whom the informant identified as "BOBY" and "BEBE". "BEBE" was a woman, possibly a friend of MARCIA HISKEY. In this conversation MARCIA HISKEY told about her visit to the Peter Cooper Hotel the previous day and made comments concerning ADAMS' anxiety about the situation, such as he apparently feared that these contacts

her to investigation. She indicated that she was not concerned about this possibility and when questioned by BEBE made some comments concerning ADAMS' status. She explained to BEBE on one occasion that ADAMS had contacted the Russian Embassy concerning an engineering problem. She stated that he was a foreigner, being a British subject and had worked for the Soviet Union previously and had also worked for several good companies. She indicated that he could return to Canada at any time he desired. The woman with whom she was conversing appeared to be somewhat more skeptical of ADAMS' status than MARC HISKEY, and warned MARCIA to be careful.

MAY 15, 1945

ADAMS again contacted MARCIA HISKEY on this date and on this occasion they engaged in a purely social conversation according to Confidential Informant T9.

MAY 23, 1945

On this date ADAMS again attended a meeting of the Alumni Association of the Plastics Institute which was held on the 18th Floor of the Hotel Pennsylvania at 8:00 PM.

MAY 25, 1945

At 5:30 PM ADAMS had dinner at the Harvey Sea Food Restaurant and prior to eating made a call from a public telephone booth at the restaurant. He left the restaurant at 6:10 PM and returned to the Peter Cooper Hotel. He was not noted to meet anyone on this occasion but in view of the telephone call it is possible that he had planned to do so.

MAY 29, 1945

ADAMS met a woman believed to be IRENE MILLER at Carnation Theatre, 39 West 57th Street and Seventh Avenue. At about 7:40 PM he went to the theatre window but then left the theatre and returned to 39 West 55th Street. Those conducting the surveillance were unable to ascertain where IRENE MILLER was after meeting him on this occasion.

JUNE 1, 1945

On this date according to Confidential Informant T3, ADAMS contacted COLLETTE HICKS who resides in Room #809 at the Peter Cooper Hotel.

They engaged in a social conversation, HICKS telling ADAMS about the fact that she had made two trips to some place upstate recently. ADAMS stated he would probably take a vacation for three weeks at some resort near New York when the hot weather set in. Informant advised that the nature of this conversation indicated to him that ADAMS had not spoken to HICKS for some time and was interested in hearing what she had been doing.

Attempts are being made to determine the nature of the relations between ADAMS and COLLETTE HICKS. Special Agent J. C. WALSH contacted Mrs. ~~ALICE~~ LIVINGSTONE of the American Relief for France, but she was unable to furnish any information concerning HICKS other than the fact that she was listed as a volunteer for that organization in 1942 and 1943. She had been of a large number of volunteers and had not been required to submit any personal information concerning herself to this organization. Mrs. LIVINGSTONE advised Special Agent WALSH that she was not personally familiar with COLLETTE HICKS. Further attempts to ascertain the reasons for ADAMS' contacts with HICKS be made.

JUNE 8, 1945 .

ADAMS was noted by the surveilling agents to be conversing with an unidentified man in the jewelry store of VICTORIA STONE at 510 Madison Avenue, New York City. A surveillance of this individual conducted by Special Agent JOHN B. MONTGOMERY revealed that after leaving VICTORIA STONE's jewelry store he proceeded to 1290 Ocean Avenue, Brooklyn where he entered about 6:20 P.M. Informant indicated that he might be suspicious that someone was attempting to follow him inasmuch as he made frequent changes of subway trains before reaching his destination.

The following description of this individual was obtained from Special Agent JOHN B. MONTGOMERY:

Age:	55-60
Height:	5'8"
Weight:	165-170 lbs.
Hair:	Gray
Dress and Appearance:	Long pointed nose; Dark complexion; Full face; Wore dark brown felt hat, wool suit. Did not wear glasses.

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At 4:45 PM ADAMS left 522 Fifth Avenue and walked directly across the street to 521 Fifth Avenue and proceeded to the 20th Floor where the office of JACOB B. ARONOFF is located. He left 521 Fifth Avenue at 6:05 PM and walked back to his room at the PETER COOPER HOTEL.

JUNE 13, 1945

According to Confidential Informant T11 about 3:25 PM this date ADAMS contacted VICTORIA STONE and advised that he would pick her up at her home that evening. He further advised her that he had changed his subscription for the magazine "The Protestant" to her home address and stated that the May copy was very good.

JUNE 19, 1945

At 5:40 PM ADAMS left 522 Fifth Avenue and walked to the PETER COOPER HOTEL, entering at 5:55 PM. At 6:15 PM he left the hotel and walked to HARVEY'S SEA FOOD HOUSE, 34th Street and Third Avenue where he had dinner with a woman whom the surveilling agents believed to be IRENE MILLER. At 7:05 PM, ADAMS and this woman left the Harvey Sea Food Restaurant and ADAMS returned alone to the PETER COOPER HOTEL.

JUNE 21, 1945

Confidential Informant T11 advised that at 1:30 PM this date ADAMS contacted an unknown man and advised him that he wanted to know a few things about the recording industry in Mexico City. The man advised him to contact a Mr. SILE who is located at 70 Pine Street, New York City and he would be able to give him the desired information. At 2:35 PM on this same date ADAMS was noted by the surveilling agents to enter Room 1006, 70 Pine Street which is the office of the Consulate General of Mexico. At 3:08 PM he left this office and returned by subway to 522 Fifth Avenue where he entered at 3:25 PM.

JUNE 22, 1945

Confidential Informant T3 advised that at 11:57 AM on this date EDWARD TIERS MANNING contacted ADAMS at his room at the Peter Cooper Hotel. At this time ADAMS indicated that he was very eager to see MANNING but to the informant, asked ADAMS if he had any extra money like

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he could borrow so that he could proceed to Chicago. ADAMS indicated that he would be able to loan him the money and MANNING first instructed him to send it in care of BEVERLY PUTNAM, Box 558, Mahwah, New Jersey. After MANNING informed ADAMS that he was now in the army and would soon be on his way overseas, they decided to get together despite any possible consequences. They then agreed to meet at ADAMS' room at the Peter Cooper Hotel sometime later in the day. Approximately 1:55 PM MANNING appeared at the Peter Cooper Hotel to see ADAMS and proceeded to his room #1103. Approximately 2:05 PM ADAMS left the hotel alone and walked to 522 Fifth Avenue. At 2:25 PM MANNING was observed leaving the hotel alone and walked to Grand Central Station and from there proceeded by subway to Pennsylvania Station where he purchased a railroad ticket for Chicago.

JUNE 25, 1945

At 2:25 PM on this date ADAMS proceeded by subway from 522 Fifth Avenue to 70 Pine Street where he entered Room 1006, the office of the Mexican Consulate. The surveilling agents noted that after entering this office he talked to a girl whose desk was directly opposite the entrance at the far end of the room located right next to the window. ADAMS appeared to be very friendly with this girl and his actions indicated that he knew her. At 3:10 PM he left the Mexican Consulate's office and returned by subway to 522 Fifth Avenue. At 3:55 PM he left 522 Fifth Avenue and crossed the street to 521 Fifth Avenue which is the office building where JACOB B. ARONOFF is located. At 4:30 PM he left 521 Fifth Avenue and returned to 522 Fifth Avenue. He left this address again at 5:50 PM and walked to 556 Fifth Avenue, a Schrafft's Restaurant where he had dinner with VICTORIA STONE and an unidentified girl. At 7:15 PM ADAMS, STONE and the unidentified girl left the restaurant and proceeded to Madison Square Garden where they attended a Negro Freedom Rally being held there. At the conclusion of the rally at 11:35 PM ADAMS left Madison Square Garden alone and returned to the Peter Cooper Hotel.

A description of the unidentified girl who was with ADAMS and STONE on this occasion is as follows:

Age:	23
Height:	5'3"
Weight:	118 lbs.
Complexion:	Medium
Hair:	Brown, upsweep
Build:	Slender
Dress:	Blue and white striped

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White shoes; white bag

JUNE 26, 1945

At 1:35 PM ADAMS left the Peter Cooper Hotel and walked to 522 Fifth Avenue. It was noted by surveilling agents that he was carrying a large manila envelope and a large flat cardboard box which measured approximately 3'X3'. He took this box to 522 Fifth Avenue and was not later noted to bring the box out.

JUNE 28, 1945

At 2:15 PM on this date ADAMS left 522 Fifth Avenue in the company of a girl subsequently identified as MILDRED BISSO, an employee of KEYNOTE RECORDINGS INCORPORATED. After having dinner in BICKFORD'S Restaurant, 47th Street and Fifth Avenue ADAMS and the woman walked to STERN'S Department store where ADAMS purchased some woman's hosiery and several other articles. They then proceeded to the WOOLWORTH store located next door to STERN'S where he purchased some costume jewelry and other miscellaneous articles and then parted and ADAMS returned to 522 Fifth Avenue.

It is believed that the purchases made by ADAMS on this date and the package which he carried from the Peter Cooper Hotel on June 26, 1945 were connected with his preparing a box or package which he later sent to DOROTHEA KEEN and which IRENE MILLER had helped him prepare. Further details concerning this activity will be set forth under the heading IRENE MILLER.

JULY 6, 1945

At 6:30 PM surveilling agents noted JACOB ARONOFF entering the PETER COOPER HOTEL presumably to see ARTHUR ADAMS. They also noted that he left the hotel at 6:55 PM.

JULY 7, 1945

At 3:45 PM ADAMS left 522 Fifth Avenue and proceeded by the Fifth Avenue Bus to the residence of JACOB B. ARONOFF, 29 East 11th Street, New City. At 4:10 PM he left ARONOFF'S residence and proceeded by taxicab to the Peter Cooper Hotel. The surveilling agents noted that he carried parcels on this occasion from ARONOFF'S home to the Peter Cooper Hotel, one being a flat parcel about 18"X24"; the other a smaller one about 12"X6".

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JULY 9, 1945

At 1:15 PM on this date ADAMS left 522 Fifth Avenue and proceeded by taxicab to the Pennsylvania Railroad Station where he boarded a Long Island train and continued to Far Rockaway. At Far Rockaway ADAMS entered the office of Doctor LOUIS MILLER located at Sea Girt Avenue and Beach 26th Street. At 6:55 PM he left Doctor MILLER's office getting the 6:57 PM train back to New York City. He arrived in New York City and proceeded to VICTORIA STONE's jewelry store at 510 Madison Avenue.

JULY 26, 1945

On this date JACOB ARONOFF contacted ADAMS at the Peter Cooper Hotel, according to Confidential Informant T3, at which time they discussed an article that ARONOFF had seen in the paper. They also discussed their respective backgrounds at which time ARTHUR ADAMS commented that he had enjoyed very little family life and could not remember his parents.

JULY 27, 1945

Confidential Informant T4 advised that ARONOFF contacted ADAMS again on this date and requested ADAMS see him soon as he desired to ask him some questions about importing cameras. ADAMS agreed to discuss the matter with him sometime soon.

JULY 30, 1945

ADAMS left 522 Fifth Avenue and walked across the street to 521 Fifth Avenue where he took the elevator to the 20th Floor which is the floor on which JACOB ARONOFF's office is located. ADAMS left this address at 2:25 PM and returned to 522 Fifth Avenue.

JULY 31, 1945

ADAMS left 522 Fifth Avenue at 3:15 PM and walked across the street to 521 Fifth Avenue. He left this address at 3:35 PM and returned to 522 Fifth Avenue. At 3:40 PM he left this address and returned to the Peter Cooper Hotel. He left the hotel at 3:55 PM and proceeded to the Pennsylvania Railroad Station where he boarded a Long Island train to Far Rockaway arriving at the Wavecrest Station, Far Rockaway at 5:33 PM. He walked from this station to the office of Doctor LOUIS MILLER located on the corner of Beach 26th Street and Sea Girt Avenue entering this office at 5:45 PM. ADAMS stayed here until 11:00 PM which time he boarded the 11:11 PM train to New York City. Upon his arrival in New York City he proceeded to the Peter Cooper Hotel.

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DOROTHEA KEEN ADAMS

DOROTHEA KEEN ADAMS, wife of subject of instant investigation, was previously discussed in reference report, and it was stated therein that T-5 had provided copies of cables received by IRENE MILLER, JACOB ARONOFF and SAMUEL NOVICK from DOROTHEA KEEN and from ARONOFF to her.

These cables were submitted to the FBI Laboratory for appropriate examination, but no information of value was obtained therefrom.

However, T-12 advised he knew that JACOB ARONOFF had copies of a number of cables between him and DOROTHEA, including those provided by T-5, but in addition had a number of others not furnished by the latter informant. In order that all of the cables to and from DOROTHEA KEEN can be shown in one place, they will be set forth herewith in chronological order with the source being as indicated:

T-12

On October 24, 1941 DOROTHEA cabled ARONOFF, stating that:

"WELL ADDRESS KIRGHISTA FRUNZE OULITZA MAXIMGORKIY
NINE TELEGRAPH HOWS EVERYBODY BEST WISHES."

As of July 1, 1942, ARONOFF in turn cabled DOROTHEA KEEN in Moscow, advising:

"JULY FOURTH GREETINGS SWIFT VICTORY FOR ALL
LOVE FROM ALL."

As of July 30, 1942 DOROTHEA KEEN cabled to ARONOFF, stating:

"ALSO SEND JULY FOURTH GREETINGS SONEIDEMB
APPROACHING VICTORY OUR DEMOCRATIC COUNTRIES.
LOVE."

Then, on November 2, 1942, ARONOFF cabled DOROTHEA KEEN stating:

"WARMEST LOVE EARNEST HOPES FOR QUICK VICTORY IN
COMMON CAUSE AND THEN OUR PERSONAL HAPPINESS. LOVE."

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Soon after this, the exact date being unknown, ARONOFF cabled DOROTHEA KEEN:

"OCTOBER AND DECEMBER LETTERS JUST RECEIVED.
EVERYBODY WELL AND SENDS LOVE. WRITING."

T-5

On January 13, 1943 DOROTHEA KEEN cabled ARONOFF the following:

"MY NEW YEAR WISH VICTORY COMPLETE SOON LOVE MY
FOLKS ALL FRIENDS TELEGRAPH HEALTH."

Then on the following day, DOROTHEA again cabled ARONOFF, stating as follows:

"CONFIRM RECEIPT NEW YEARS WIRE VERY WORRIED.
LOVE."

At this point T-5 related ARONOFF was interviewed relative to the identity of DOROTHEA KEEN and he advised that they had been friendly from youth. He further stated that for many years it had been the habit to exchange New Years greetings by cable, but that this year he had been away on vacation and had neglected to take along her address. Upon his return to his office he found her cable of January 13 and 14, which indicated that she had apparently become worried concerning him and his failure to answer, and had cabled again. He advised informant he was answering her on January 18th to the following effect:

"JUST RETURNED VACATION BEST WISHES FOR VICTORIOUS
PEACE AND PERSONAL HAPPINESS HEALTH GOOD. LOVE"

As of April 29, 1943 JACOB B. ARONOFF, 80 Broad Street, cabled DOROTHEA KEEN, Kirghistan Frounze, Oulitza, Mail Gorki 9 (U.S.S.R.), as follows:

"BIRTHDAY GREETINGS PRAYING FOR SPEEDY COMMON
VICTORY AND THEN PERSONAL HAPPINESS. LOVE."

T-12

DOROTHEA KEEN cabled ARONOFF as of July 5, 1943, to the following effect:

"CONGRATULATIONS INDEPENDENCE DAY ALSO BRILLIANT
VICTORY FORERUNNER COMPLETE VICTORY WORLD DEMOCRACY.
LOVE."

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Again as of July 6, 1943, ARONOFF cabled her stating:

"APPROPRIATE INDEPENDENCE DAY CABLE EARNEST WISH
FOR UNITED VICTORY AND OPPORTUNITY FOR PERSONAL
HAPPINESS. LOVE."

As of September 24, 1943, ^{T-5}ARONOFF again wired DOROTHEA, advising as follows:

"CONGRATULATIONS WONDERFUL RUSSIAN VICTORIES WHICH
TOGETHER WITH OURS WILL BRING COMMON TRIUMPH OVER
FASCISM. HEARTFELT PRAYERS FOR SPEEDY VICTORY AND
THEN PERSONAL HAPPINESS."

As of June 6, 1944, DOROTHEA KEEN cabled SAMUEL NOVICK, 91 Central
Park West, to the effect:

"HEARTFELT CONGRATULATIONS GREAT ITALIAN VICTORY
BRILLIANT START EUROPEAN OPERATIONS CONFIDENT
OVERWHELMING SUCCESS LOVE TO ALL FRIENDS."

Then, under date of February 1, 1945, she cabled IRENE MILLER, 400 West
End Avenue, stating:

"RECEIVED 7/31 PACKAGE LICENSE 11882 WIRE LICENSE
NUMBERS SHIPPING DATES ALL OTHERS INCLUDING ORIGINAL
CLOTHES PACKAGE THANKS WELL LOVE TO ALL."

As of February 7, 1945 IRENE MILLER forwarded a cablegram to DOROTHEA KEEN,
and addressed it to BOLSHOI PIONERSKY PEREULOK 8, APT. 68, Moscow, USSR, as
follows:

"NUMBERS DATES PACKAGES 3095 JUNE 30, 1941 9833
MARCH ELEVENTH 9844 MARCH THIRTEENTH 9997 MARCH
TWENTY FOURTH 9998 SAME 10993 JUNE THIRTEENTH
10994 SAME 11883 JULY TWENTY SEVENTH ALL 1944.
ALL WELL LOVE YOU RELATIONS WRITE."

The same informant advised on May 8, 1945 DOROTHEA KEEN sent another
cable to IRENE MILLER at 400 West End Avenue, as follows:

"SHARE YOUR JOY. COMPLETE VICTORY. RECEIVED YOUR
WIRE ALSO SECOND IDENTICAL PARCEL. WELL. LOVE.
HEARTFELT GREETINGS ALL FRIENDS"

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In addition, T-12 related that ARONOFF also wrote to DOROTHEA KEEN, and informant was able to provide copies of these letters, which read as follows:

As of July 11, 1942, ARONOFF wrote DOROTHEA to the following effect:

"Dear Dorothea:

"At the speed at which mail travels between the Soviet Union and the United States, this letter should reach you sometime next February, by which time I hope there will not be a living Nazi outside of Germany, if there.

"When I last wrote you the world picture seemed better than it does today. For the moment the hope that victory will be achieved by next February seems fatuous. I hope that at least a second front will have been established by then. For a couple of weeks now there has been no important mention of it in the daily press. I hope the general silence means that they are getting busy to do something about it. I have no doubt about the ultimate outcome, but I do not see how we can avoid prolonging the war for years except by hitting the nazis in the west and hitting them fast and hard.

"With us personally there is not much news. Did I ever write you that I saw Grace some months ago. She hasn't changed much, except that her hair is entirely gray. The gulf that separates us is more than the gulf of years and yet I can never feel about her as if she could become a total stranger. She is a sort of unrelated relative, and your relatives are facts of life.

"Elizabeth is quite well, but considerably disturbed. She is going to Georgia to see her brother who is now in a hospital in Atlanta. He may live another month or two, but that is all. Majeska is quite well.

"I shall probably see Alice within the next month. I expect to spend a few days with them. Did I ever write to you that Alice and her mother have bought a farm and Alice has become a very successful chicken raiser. She is so completely adjusted to her physical environment and work, that it is difficult to realize sometimes that she is almost totally blind by now. I am sure people who don't know it can spend hours with her without realizing it.

"I am going out now to see a Soviet movie. It is called 'Three Women', and I am sure I saw it over ten years ago, but I should like to see it again.

"I hope soon to have a letter from you.

"With love,

"Your friend,

"JBA:GF
Miss Dorothea Keen
Kirghistan
Frounze
Oulitza Maxim Gorki 9
U.S.S.R."

As of July 6, 1943, ARONOFF wrote DOROTHEA as follows:

"July 6th, 1943.

"Dear Dot:

"It is almost a year to the day since I last wrote you. I understand it takes months for letters to reach you, and with such an interval between writing and receipt a letter seems like words thrown into the wind. I think a great deal about you and wonder what you do and how you are getting along.

"There's nothing much in the way of news here. My youngest brother got married recently. He graduated engineering and is now living in California. Grace is getting a divorce, I heard, and Harry and his second wife have already been divorced. He is now living with Eva in California. I had a letter from him a few days ago.

"I see Elizabeth about once a week or so. She's working as a text book illustrator. Since I wrote you last her brother died. They were very much attached to each other and his death affected her badly.

"I had a letter from Alice's mother a few days ago inviting me to spend a few days with her and Alice on the farm. I expect to go in about a week.

"I see Majeska rarely. She's quite well. In general everybody is in good health.

"I attended a reception given to Michoels and Feffer, both of whom are here now as delegates from the Jewish Anti-Fascist Committee of the Soviet Union. There will be a Mass Meeting at the Polo Grounds next Thursday at which they and Professor Einstein will speak. They have had an excellent reception. Michoels is by far one of the best speakers I have ever heard.

"Write me soon, even though you know that it will be a long time before I get the letter.

"With love from everybody,

"As ever,

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ARONOFF again communicated with DOROTHEA KEEN on August 16, 1943, as follows:

"August 16, 1943

"Dear Dot:

"It has been an unusually hot summer, but somehow bearable because of the news of our splendid victories on every front.

"Since I last wrote you, I spent three days with Alice and her mother on their farm and had a wonderful time. Alice's adjustment is so complete. Her handling of herself in familiar surroundings is so perfect, that I met one couple who told me that they had visited the farm some three times in one week before they realized that she was almost totally blind. I don't know how she knows to step over a thing as she strides along, instead of stepping on it. She tells me that she doesn't know either. She is a very successful farmer, both because she has intelligence and because she didn't know anything about it when she started.

"She had people read to her the latest government bulletins, and was, for a while; the object of some affectionate ridicule from the neighboring farmers who farmed the way their fathers taught them forty years ago. Now, after watching her for a couple of years; they consult her.

"She started out as a chicken farmer which she still is primarily, but she has begun to raise pigs and is growing increasing quantities of vegetables. She still is as good looking as ever and time hasn't told on her. On those occasions when I see her it is not difficult to recall that I was once very much in love with her.

"I don't recall whether you ever met her mother. She is about 67 and an amazing woman. She works in Washington, and after a good day's work she can still go out in the vegetable patches and work like anything. One Saturday morning I helped her hoe, and she was still going strong when I was on the verge of collapse.

"Elizabeth is the same as ever although she feels much better now than she has for some years. We spent last Sunday together and went to the movies to see Action in the North Atlantic. It is probably a picture which the Soviet movie industry will buy. When you get a chance, go to see it. It is Hollywood at its best.

"There is nothing new about any of our friends. Everybody is well and everybody is happy at the fact that the victory of the United Nations is certain. I cannot recall a time when the Soviet Union was held in as high esteem in the United States as now.

"Let me hear from you soon.

"Affectionately,

Photographic copies of all the additional cables not previously provided the Laboratory, and also of the letters, are being secured and will be forwarded to the Laboratory and the Bureau.

It is interesting to note how all of these items failed to make any mention of the subject, ARTHUR ADAMS, although he sees ^{Keen} DOROTHEA's correspondents frequently. However, as was brought out in reference report, ADAMS knows that DOROTHEA communicates with these people, as IRENE MILLER discussed with him the details of the cable that she received February 6, 1945.

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It is also noted that the address for DOROTHEA, which IRENE MILLER used in her cable of February 7, 1945, is identical with one furnished by DOROTHEA in an application for registration filed at the American Consulate in Moscow on July 15, 1939. At that time DOROTHEA also stated that her husband ARTHUR ADAMS was residing at Vl. Karl Liebknecht 68, Sverdlovsk, and he had never immigrated to the United States.

A highly confidential source related that IRENE MILLER had in her possession part of a letter which it was believed she had received from DOROTHEA KEEN in Moscow. The letter set forth a number of articles which the writer desired to be purchased in New York and gave the name of the store and the date and newspaper in which the advertisement had appeared. The date of the letter was not able to be determined but it was noted that one of the items referred to appeared in the New York Herald-Tribune for October 29th, thus indicating that the letter was written sometime subsequent to that date.

It was noted that the available part of the letter was numbered 7) and began, "on a suitable winter coat, furlined—advise a light fur (light in weight) and plenty of solid footwear. Of your things there remain your burkis—pretty well worn, and a razor-blade sharpener. Not another thread or shred." It continued to state, "You have no idea how distressed I was that I had no opportunity to write for so long a time. However, we seem to be getting on towards the homerun and I feel exactly like the condemned man reprieved at the last moment. To know that you will actually be coming back in the not too far off future. I loathe the idea of making the trip at the present time but have made up my mind to do it if things didn't pan out otherwise, as I was given to understand. Much warm love to you from me and kindest regards from all friends. Keep well and be careful". The letter was signed "SUSY".

It is believed that this letter is actually part of one written by DOROTHEA to her husband, ARTHUR sometime in the Fall of 1944. It indicates that she was apparently aware of his intent to leave the United States at that time. It is noted she refers to a "winter coat, furlined", and it will be remembered that ADAMS prior to his trip to the West Coast in February, 1945 had such an article made and took it with him on this trip.

This letter also requests that some heavy material should be secured from "Maj. or Ren". This reference, it is believed, pertains to Mlle. MAJESKA and to IRENE MILLER. It will be noted that in the letters set forth heretofore from JACOB ARONOFF to DOROTHEA, he frequently refers to MAJESKA, indicating that she is familiar to DOROTHEA. It is also known that ADAMS frequently refers to IRENE MILLER as "REN". Additional information relative to Mlle. YNE MAJESKA will be set out later in this report.

As was set forth in referenced report, DOROTHEA KEEN on one of her passport applications supplied her address and that of her husband as being 1950 Andrews Avenue, Bronx, New York.

Accordingly, Special Agent Edward J. Distelhorst interviewed Mr. JAMES J. JAFFEE, Resident Manager at this address and he advised he was unable to recall any persons by the name of ADAMS or KEEN as having resided at the address during the time of his employment. A photograph of the subject was displayed to him, but he advised he was positive that no such person had ever resided at 1950 Andrews Avenue.

Miss A. FRIEDMAN, Yorktown Management, Inc., 1860 Broadway, furnished the records of the tenants who held leases at 1950 Andrews Avenue for the years 1934, 1935 and 1936. These records failed to contain any information whatsoever relative to the subject or his wife, DOROTHEA.

Inasmuch as it was previously reported that CHARLES GOTTLIEB, brother-in-law of DOROTHEA KEEN, resided at this address in 1933, the records of Yorktown Management, Inc. were checked for the years, 1934, 1935 and 1936, with negative results. It was impossible to make a check of the records for 1933 due to the fact that the company was unable to produce the records for years prior to 1934.

Reference report also reflected that on another passport application DOROTHEA KEEN reported that in 1935 she had been employed as a secretary to HAROLD DENNY, at that time Moscow correspondent for the New York Times.

Accordingly, Mr. DENNY was interviewed by reporting agents; at which time he stated that he recalled DOROTHEA KEEN and that she worked as his secretary for some time between 1934 and 1936. He said she was a capable individual but inclined to be very officious; that she was married and her husband was one ADAMS, an engineer who had built some type of factory for the Russian Government in the Ural Mountains. DENNY was unable to furnish much information relative to ARTHUR ADAMS, except that he was frequently gone from Moscow and was unable to definitely identify him from a photograph. It was his belief he had last seen DOROTHEA KEEN in 1936, at which time she had come to dinner at his apartment.

DENNY recalled that he had heard something relative to ADAMS' supposedly having Canadian citizenship, but he was unable to remember the source of the information.

A check of the personnel records of the New York Times reflected that DOROTHEA KEEN was employed by that paper in Moscow from April 27, 1934 until approximately February 1, 1936, when she went on a leave of absence, from which she never returned. Her salary was reflected at that time as being about \$100 per week.

E. LEROY FINCH, Editorial Auditor, and personal friend of HAROLD DENNY, stated that it is his recollection that DENNY once told him that DOROTHEA KEEN had disappeared in Moscow and that he thought she had been arrested, but had never been able to definitely ascertain whether or not this had occurred. FINCH was able to further advise that on February 1, 1936 HAROLD DENNY wired from Moscow that he had engaged another secretary on January 25, 1936, pending the return of DOROTHEA KEEN in August. It was explained that DOROTHEA took a leave of absence to return to America for an operation.

With a view of obtaining additional information relative to ARTHUR ADAMS and his wife, DOROTHEA during the time they were in Russia together, three individuals who were believed to have been in that country at times it has been determined the subject was, was contacted and interviewed.

The first of these was one [redacted] [redacted], New York City. It might be stated that [redacted] was one of the [redacted] of the Amtorg Trading Corporation in the United States and was for a number of years [redacted]. He was also employed by the Russian Government as a salesman in this country for some time. Mr. [redacted] has frequently been of assistance in identifying persons believed to be connected with the Russian Government during the period he was employed as above.

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This individual advised reporting agents that he knew both ARTHUR ADAMS and his wife, DOROTHEA, having met the latter in Moscow, Russia. He said he first met ARTHUR sometime in 1921, at which time the subject was preparing to leave for Russia along with LUDWIG K. MARTENS. However, he was unable to remember the exact circumstances under which they had met or who had introduced them. [redacted] at that time was working with the late Admiral BENSON. [redacted]

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Informant reported that he next saw ADAMS in Moscow in 1927, at which time he visited the ADAMS apartment, as he heard that Mrs. ADAMS, who was formerly DOROTHEA KEEN, was a collector of some [redacted]. He advised DOROTHEA ADAMS was a stenographer [redacted]

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of some type and was valuable due to her knowledge of English. Informant stated that he did not particularly care for the woman and described her as being very mercenary. ARTHUR ADAMS, he continued, was very well informed, had a good scientific mind, and appeared to be a mild, but interesting individual.

[redacted] thought ADAMS was not a native-born Russian, but rather was of Swedish origin. However, he seemed to base his opinion solely upon the fact that ADAMS was too smart an engineer to be a Russian; that none of the engineers that Russia had at that time were as bright as ADAMS and consequently he automatically assumed subject was not Russian, but a foreigner. b7D

[redacted] ADAMS in 1929 or 1930 in the United States, at which time he believed that ADAMS was employed by the Russian aviation industry. Subject's wife, he said, was also with him at that time and on one occasion stayed with [redacted] New York City. Informant stated that at the time of this last visit he himself was [redacted] the Amtorg Trading Corporation. Informant related that he had never seen ARTHUR ADAMS or DOROTHEA since that time. b7D

The other two persons interviewed relative to ARTHUR and DOROTHEA were [redacted] and the information furnished by them will be set forth later in this report.

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SABINA ROTKOPF, was.

Considerable information concerning ADAMS' first wife SABINA ROTKOPF and her identity and activities was set forth in the reference report.

Investigation of ROTKOPF by Special Agent EDWARD J. DISTELHORST reflects that she is now residing at 1190 Eastern Parkway, Brooklyn, New York, and is continuing her practical nursing work with various private parties.

SABINA ROTKOPF was interviewed by Special Agents EDWARD J. DISTELHORST and HUGITT H. HINDERAKER at which time she verified some information concerning her background and connection with ADAMS. At the time of the interview SABINA ROTKOPF was fairly cooperative but appeared to be extremely nervous and was very reluctant in elaborating upon the events of her life connected with ADAMS and clearly indicated that ARTHUR ADAMS had caused her a great deal of unhappiness.

SABINA ROTKOPF exhibited to the interviewing agents a birth certificate which showed that she was born August 23, 1889 as BINA ROTKOPF at Lodz, Poland, and that she is the daughter of OJZER ROTKOPF and BAJLA NOGACZOW. She explained that the latter name was a variation of her mother's maiden name which was also known in Poland as NOGACHT. She explained that the name BINA was merely a variation of her own name SABINA and that the correct spelling of her own name is ROTKOPF. She claimed that in the course of her travels this name had been unintentionally misspelled on various public records. SABINA claimed that Lodz, Poland prior to World War I was Russian territory and that she was, therefore, Russian by birth.

She stated that she first left Lodz in November 1914 with her son, ALEXANDER ADAMS who was born April 5, 1910 at Riga, Russia, to join her husband ARTHUR ADAMS who was then in New York City where he had been residing for about two years. SABINA ROTKOPF declined to answer specifically as to where or when she had married ARTHUR ADAMS but indicated that the marriage had occurred in Lodz, Poland two or three years prior to ADAMS' leaving for the United States. She was equally vague as to just when ADAMS had left her to go to the United States and indicated that it must have been about 1910 or 1912.

SABINA claimed that her marriage to ARTHUR ADAMS was her only marriage. The name ROTKOPF was her maiden name and that this name or any of the other names she has used did not arise out of any other marriages. She explained that subsequent to joining ADAMS in New York City in 1914 she and

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her son and ADAMS resided for a period in New York City. Then they lived in 1916 or 1917 in Detroit, Michigan, and then returned to New York City where they lived until 1921 at which time they returned to Russia where she obtained a divorce from ARTHUR ADAMS.

In December 1921 she claimed that she and her son ALEX returned to Lodz, Poland where she resumed the use of her maiden name, which name she has used steadily since that time.

In 1923 she left her son ALEX in a boarding school at Karlsruhe, Germany and joined her sister STEPHANIE BOURGOIN at Paris, France and then proceeded to Canada where she obtained her nurses training and where she resided until January 25, 1943 at which time she came to the United States for permanent residence. She stated that when she left Russia, ADAMS remained there and the only information she had obtained since concerning him was that he had died a few years later. The exact date was not known and she could not verify where she had obtained this information. She explained that her son ALEXANDER joined her in Canada in 1929 and resided with her until 1933 or 1934, she could not recall the exact date at which time he was recalled to Russia to serve in the Russian army inasmuch as he had maintained his Russian citizenship. She claimed that she has had no word from him for the past several years and recently had obtained information through a friend, a woman who also had a son in the Russian Army that in November 1941 ALEXANDER had been sent to the Russian front. She stated that she had made inquiries of the Russian Consul in New York City to learn of her son's whereabouts but that they had been unable to help her. She stated that her son was practically her only interest in life and that she was extremely desirous of learning of his fate and indicated that if he were alive and she could join him she would do so wherever and whenever possible and that she would go to Russia to live with him if that were feasible. She stated that unless she was able to get together with her son she expected to remain in the United States permanently.

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IRENE MILLER, with aliases

In the reference report it was indicated that IRENE MILLER, wife of Doctor LOUIS MILLER had been assisting ADAMS in communicating with his wife DOROTHEA KEEN who is in Moscow, Russia. Early in July 1945, IRENE MILLER moved to Apartment 4A, 2 Horatio Street, New York City from 40-50 East 10th Street, New York City where she had been previously residing. She now resides alone at 2 Horatio Street and is continuing her employment as a buyer at R. H. MACY Department Store, New York City. Further information concerning IRENE MILLER's efforts to aid ADAMS in communicating with DOROTHEA KEEN and in sending her parcels has been developed.

In the reference report it was set out that IRENE MILLER inquired of ADAMS on January 3, 1945 if she (Dorothea Keen) had received any of the parcels. ADAMS indicated that she had not received the parcels and complained about some organization, apparently the company handling the sending of the packages. He indicated in his conversation with IRENE MILLER that he was quite familiar with the man who was formerly in charge of this organization and his family, stating that the man was now dead but his wife was "on the other side" and she had a son in the army. The identity of the organization referred to by ADAMS and MILLER was not known at the date of the last report, however, it has been determined that ADAMS and IRENE MILLER apparently had reference to the WORLD TOURISTS, INCORPORATED, 1123 Broadway, New York City. It was also previously reported that on February 5, 1945 IRENE MILLER received a cablegram from DOROTHEA KEEN which had been filed in Moscow on February 1, 1945 and which stated in part: "Received July 31 package, License #11882".

A highly confidential informant has made available a photographic copy of a letter addressed to Mrs. E. MILLER, 400 West End Avenue, New York City on the stationery of the WORLD TOURIST INCORPORATED, 1123 Broadway, New York City to which was attached a slip of paper bearing some writing in Russian. This attached slip of paper was apparently a receipt showing the delivery of a package in Russia and reflecting that the package had been received in good condition in Russia on January 1, 1945. The letter states in part: "We are herewith enclosing a certificate for the receipt of the parcel which you sent to the USSR under our License Number 11882." It would therefore appear that this is the package which IRENE MILLER had sent to DOROTHEA KEEN ADAMS. This package had been handled by the WORLD TOURIST INCORPORATED which concern they had in mind at the time of their conversation on January 3, 1945 at which time they discussed the failure of the packages to reach their destination.

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As was previously reported IRENE MILLER contacted ADAMS on February 6, 1945 and advised him that she had received "a communication", apparently referring to DOROTHEA KEEN's cable of February 5, 1945. She told ADAMS she would get all the records and license numbers and send them off.

Confidential Informant T5 has advised that on February 7, 1945 IRENE MILLER sent the following cable to DOROTHEA KEEN:

" Feb 7 1945

To Miss Dorothea Keen

Bolshoi Leninsky Pereulok 8, Apt 68

Moscow, (U.S.S.R.)

Numbers dates packages 3095 June thirtieth 1941 9833 March eleventh. 9844 March thirteenth 9997 March twenty-fourth 9998 same 10993 June thirteenth 10994 same 11883 July twenty seventh all 1944. All well love you relations write

Irene Miller
400 West End Ave
Endicott 2-2443"
Apt 1B"

This cable sent by IRENE MILLER is apparently what she referred to when she advised ADAMS that she would obtain the license numbers and records and cable them as she had been requested to do.

A highly confidential source has furnished a photographic copy of a portion of a letter believed to have been written by DOROTHEA KEEN to ADAMS and which was in the possession of IRENE MILLER at her apartment 2 Horatio Street. Further details concerning this letter are being set out in the section of this report concerning DOROTHEA KEEN. It is probable that ADAMS gave this piece of the letter to IRENE MILLER as he desired her to purchase and select clothing and personal items listed therein for him to send to DOROTHEA KEEN. The piece of the letter carried a long list of clothes and personal items apparently desired by the writer of the letter.

Confidential Informant T11 has furnished information substantiating the belief that IRENE MILLER was obtaining various items to be sent to DOROTHEA KEEN by ADAMS.

On June 22, 1945 according to this informant, IRENE MILLER contacted ADAMS and in response to his inquiry as to how she was progressing she "she got most of the stuff...she got the dress; she got the robe; she got slippers and she got blouses and she got the cream and she got so

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The items mentioned by IRENE MILLER on this occasion were noted to correspond closely with the items requested in the letter. On June 23, 1945 ADAMS again contacted IRENE MILLER, according to the informant, and they discussed the obtaining of various items. ADAMS also complained about the colors of some of the blouses which IRENE MILLER had purchased to which IRENE MILLER replied that "she asked for fuschia and she asked for lime". It is noted that these two colors for these particular items were mentioned in the letter referred to. At this time ADAMS indicated to IRENE MILLER that he had written to DOROTHEA KEEN recently.

On June 25, 1945 ADAMS again contacted IRENE MILLER at which time she stated that the glasses were being sent over and they would be addressed to ERIC. In the letter previously referred to a request was made for glasses also.

On June 28, 1945 ADAMS again contacted IRENE MILLER and suggested that she have dinner with him. IRENE MILLER indicated that it would be impossible for her to do so as she was to see an upholstery man to see some of the samples that he had for her. It is noted that the letter of reference made a request concerning upholstery. This time IRENE MILLER inquired of ADAMS if he had gotten the package off, to which ADAMS replied that he had and indicated that he would probably get another request in a month. He also indicated that in looking through the letter he had noted that they had overlooked several items that he had been able to obtain and thus indicating that he still had in his possession another portion of the letter that DOROTHEA KEEN had apparently sent to him.

Confidential Informant T5 also indicated that IRENE MILLER received a cable from DOROTHEA KEEN on May 8, 1945 which contained the following message:

"Share your joy. Complete Victory. Received your wire also second identical parcel. Well. Love. Heartfelt greetings all friends."

This cable was addressed to IRENE MILLER, 400 West End Avenue, New York City.

On July 13, 1945 IRENE MILLER moved her clothes and other belongings from ADAMS' room at the Peter Cooper Hotel to her new apartment at 2 Horatio Street, New York City.

A highly confidential informant has advised that in addition to own belongings she moved two pieces of luggage and a large cardboard b

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belonging to ADAMS to her new location. The two pieces of luggage, one a gray airplane type bag and one a large bag nearly the size of a small trunk which is tan colored were two of the pieces of luggage ADAMS took on his trip to Portland in February 1945.

The informant has advised that these bags at present contain ADAMS' heavy black fur lined coat; fur cap and other heavy winter apparel.

It has been noted that ADAMS has exercised great care to avoid openly contacting MILLER at her new location.

The informant previously referred to has made available a photograph of ADAMS which IRENE MILLER has in her possession at her apartment. The photograph was dated January 1932 and bears the inscription "To Doc and Ren from Arthur, Moscow".

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JACOB B. ARONOFF

Considerable information was supplied by reference report concerning the details of the entrance of ARTHUR ADAMS into the country as of May 17, 1938. As was shown there, this entry was handled and facilitated by JACOB BROCHES ARONOFF and SAMUEL NOVICK, President of the Electronics Corporation of America. It will be recalled that the Wholesale Radio Company, of which NOVICK was an executive, first attempted to import ADAMS but were denied by the United States Immigration authorities. Later, ADAMS wrote the authorities advising that he was actually an independent employee with Wholesale Radio merely being one of his clients.

Reference report further revealed how the bank account of a firm known as Technological Laboratories was opened by JACOB ARONOFF with a deposit of \$4,000, which consisted of a \$3,850 check and cash in the amount of \$150. A check of ARONOFF's own account showed a withdrawal in the amount of \$3850 on the same day as the Laboratory account was opened, indicating that this was the source of the second deposit. ADAMS, it will be remembered, claimed at the time of his entrance that the mentioned laboratory firm was his own. He also signed signature cards for the aforementioned bank account as President and JACOB ARONOFF signed as Assistant Treasurer.

Confidential Informant T-12 was able to furnish additional details relative to the activities of ARTHUR ADAMS and ARONOFF in these matters, showing even more clearly how ADAMS was assisted by ARONOFF. This informant stated that in April, 1938 ADAMS wrote to JACOB ARONOFF at 165 Broadway, sending him all the correspondence between himself, the American Consulate in Toronto and the Department of Labor at Ellis Island. At the same time he inquired of ARONOFF as to the progress ARONOFF was making in the incorporation of the concern known as the Technological Laboratories. This correspondence which subject ADAMS forwarded to ARONOFF consisted of communications between ADAMS and the Consulate General at Toronto, Canada, dated March 31, 1938, relative to his proposed entrance into the United States. All the pertinent information contained in these letters has been previously provided in reference report.

However, on March 11, 1938 T-12 related ARONOFF told ADAMS that he should apply for a six-months visa and then for a visa for permanent residence. ARONOFF, informant stated, had in turn been advised by the Immigration authorities that if ADAMS was not to be employed in the United States it would be satisfac

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for him to apply for an Immigration visa.

Following this it is known, and has been reported that the subject on May 16, 1938 executed a preliminary questionnaire for an Immigration visa, and on May 17, 1938 actually entered the United States at Buffalo, New York.

As to the above-mentioned Technological Laboratories, considerable information relative to its activities was previously provided in reference report. As was shown there, this laboratory was ostensibly operated by ADAMS and ARONOFF, with the bank account of the firm being opened by ARONOFF at the Corn Exchange Bank Trust Company, Washington Branch, New York City.

T-12 was able to furnish additional information on this project, as he knew that ARONOFF maintained a file on the Technological Laboratories [redacted] [redacted] According to this informant, a copy of the Certificate of Incorporation of this firm was included therein, which was dated May 6, 1938, but was unsigned. This certificate reflected that the total number of shares of stocks to be issued would be 100 and the directors until the first annual meeting of the stockholders would consist of the following individuals, all of whose addresses were given as 165 Broadway, New York City:

~~BENJAMIN MELNIKER~~

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~~HAROLD ZUCKER~~

~~HELEN LIFF~~

Each of these individuals, who it is believed were employees of ARONOFF, or co-occupants of his office space at 165 Broadway, were reflected to be the possessor of one share of stock.

On a date which was unknown to this informant, there was received a letter from ADAMS in Toronto, in which the latter stated, "Am returning to you receipt for certificate of 98 shares, 2 shares for Messrs. ~~M. BEUMLEIN~~ and ~~P. LEVY~~ and 4 signature cards. Respectfully yours, ARTHUR ADAMS".

Continuing, informant claimed ARONOFF had in his possession stock certificates of the laboratory firm issued to the following:

~~PHILIP LEVY~~ - 1 share

~~MAURICE BEUMLEIN~~ - 1 share

ARTHUR ADAMS - 98 shares

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All of these ^{Maurice} certificates were dated May 11, 1938, with those for LEVY and BLUMLEIN being signed by LEVY as Secretary and ARTHUR ADAMS as President, and the certificate of ADAMS was signed by LEVY only.

Informant remarked that there was also contained in the file two checks, both of which were drawn on the Corn Exchange Bank Trust Company, Washington Branch, were payable to cash, and were signed by ARTHUR ADAMS as President of the Technological Laboratories, Inc. The first was dated June 23, 1939, was in the amount of \$3500 and bore the endorsement of ARTHUR ADAMS. The second was dated October 1, 1940, was in the amount of \$2,255.97, and bore the endorsement of the 55th Street Branch of the Corn Exchange Bank Trust Company.

In regard to this last item it is believed that it was the medium through which the account of the laboratory was transferred to the 55th Street Branch of this bank, as it is known that the transfer was made at this time.

Informant continued to advise that ARONOFF had various copies of state and federal tax returns for the Technological Laboratories for the years 1938 through 1941. Informant remarked that the information contained on all of the federal returns was identical and that they were directed to the laboratory in care of JACOB B. ARONOFF. The returns stated that the business of the concern was that of machine tool designing, but they failed to reflect any income whatsoever. Informant stated that the most pertinent point of all of the returns was that along the edge they bore the notation, "This corporation never started to do business and is about to be dissolved".

The New York State Franchise Tax Return for the firm was similarly directed in care of ARONOFF and covered the period from April 29, 1940 to April 28, 1941. This reflected that the date of incorporation of this firm was May 9, 1938, but it was further stated that the business did not begin. This form bore the signature of ARTHUR ADAMS as President of the Technological Laboratories, was dated May 16, 1942 and had been notarized by one ANN F. ASCHERMAN, Notary Public.

T-12 related further that ARONOFF possessed a copy of a form entitled, "Certificate of Dissolution of Technological Laboratories, Inc.", which was unsigned, but which stated in effect that the outstanding shareholders had elected to dissolve. It was also certified therein that the Certificate of

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Incorporation had been filed on May 9, 1938, with the following directors:

ARTHUR ADAMS, 130 East 39th Street, New York City

JACOB B. ARONOFF, 80 Broad Street, New York City

GRACE FEIN, 80 Broad Street, New York City

The officers of the corporation were certified as follows:

ARTHUR ADAMS -- President-Treasurer

JACOB B. ARONOFF -- Secretary

Thus, all of this information as to the activities of ARONOFF in aiding ADAMS to enter the country and in forming the Technological Laboratories, fully indicates that he was well aware of ADAMS' background and that he was closely associated with him and has continued to so associate himself since ADAMS' entry into the country:

It was previously ascertained by investigation at 165 Broadway and 1775 Broadway, both of which were furnished as addresses for the Technological Laboratories, that the laboratory appeared to conduct very little business, had few visitors and little, if any, technical equipment. This fact, coupled with the notation on the tax returns to the effect that the corporation never started to do business, would tend to indicate that the laboratory was merely a front established for the purpose of facilitating the entrance of ARTHUR ADAMS into the United States.

At the time of the subject's entrance into the United States he reported the existence of a bank account with the Bank of Montreal, which was numbered 18540 and at the time had a balance of \$447.30. It was previously ascertained that in May, 1942 ADAMS closed this account out by transferring it to his account at the Central Savings Bank, Broadway Office, New York City.

T-12 now reports that ARONOFF actually handled this affair for ADAMS and wrote a letter to the bank for him on April 30, 1942. Additional information relative to other bank accounts of the subject, the Technological Laboratories, and in conjunction with JACOB ARONOFF, will be supplied later in this report.

The same informant reported further that he knew ARONOFF on June 18, 1942 ordered from Goldsmith Brothers, 77 Nassau Street, New York City, a ring binder,

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and requested that it be stamped in the lower righthand corner, "ARTHUR A. ADAMS". The significance of this name should be noted, along with the year, inasmuch as this is the only instance known to date where the middle initial of ADAMS has been used since he assumed his new identity in Canada in 1936. The fact that ARONOFF directed that this book be so stamped is another indication of his awareness as to ADAMS' true identity.

As to ARONOFF himself, the current investigation of his background has recently developed information indicating that he was associated with one individual who was convicted for dealing in fraudulent passports, such passports being made available to Soviet espionage agents and to persons going to Spain to fight with the Abraham Lincoln Brigade. He was also connected with others who were engaged in the recruiting of these volunteers for the war in Spain.

Briefly, it was ascertained that EDWARD BLATT, OSSIP GARBER and AARON SHARFIN were convicted in the mentioned passport case and served prison sentences therefor, but all have now been released. One of the passports involved was used by an alleged Soviet agent, ARNOLD REUBENS and his wife. In 1938 REUBENS, using this passport, returned to Russia, where, for undetermined reasons, he disappeared. REUBENS, prior to his departure from the United States, made a business arrangement with a firm known as the Galleon Press of New York City, whereby he was to deposit a sum of money with them and they were to send him a weekly sum under the guise of his being an employee of the Press. The contract covering this deal was drawn up by the abovementioned BLATT, as attorney.

As will later be shown, this arrangement between REUBENS and the Galleon Press is very similar to a ruse used by ARTHUR ADAMS and one SAMUEL J. WEGMAN. In this case ADAMS received weekly salary checks from WEGMAN, though he, WEGMAN, was engaged in a business entirely foreign to any occupation engaged in by ADAMS. The agreement for this particular deal, it has been learned, was drawn up by JACOB B. ARONOFF.

According to T-12 ARONOFF's personal telephone book contains the name, home and business telephone numbers of EDWARD BLATT and further, T-13 has stated that BLATT has attempted to contact ARONOFF on several occasions.

Again it was ascertained that one EDWARD T. SWEENEY testified before the Dies Committee that he had been recruited for the Abraham Lincoln Brigade and had received a fraudulent passport through the work of two men, namely, HYMAN BAYER and DAVID MANKOFF. It has not been learned if this passport was one of the ones involved in the abovementioned fraud case, but SWEENEY did testify that DAVID MANKOFF at one time remarked that if the truth of the ROBINSON-REUBENS case came out a lot of his good friends would be hurt. Further,

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SWEENEY advised that BAYER in MANKOFF's apartment asked him not to go to Spain, but to stay here (in the United States), join the Army, and get information for them.

As best as can be determined, and according to ^{Edward T.} SWEENEY, JACOB B. ARONOFF was supposedly present when this offer of espionage work was made to SWEENEY.

T-12 further advised that ARONOFF has the name of DAVID MANKOFF and his business and home telephones, as well as his address in his personal book. T-13 adds to this, by stating that he knows that ARONOFF frequently contacts MANKOFF and has handled a number of legal matters for him.

HYMAN BAYER mentioned above was working for SAMUEL NOVICK, an associate of ADAMS, at the time EDWARD BLATT, GARBER and SHARFIN were brought to trial, but disappeared. He later was located in California when drafted and in 1944 NOVICK appealed to the Army to have him released, stating his technical knowledge of radio would be of more value to the industry than to the Army. This appeal was refused, but it is known that BAYER was later discharged from the Army, and is presently believed residing in Brooklyn, New York.

Thus, it is seen that SAMUEL NOVICK and JACOB B. ARONOFF, who were very instrumental in securing the admission of ADAMS into the United States, were also closely connected with this passport ring and were aware of the uses to which the passports were being put.

ARONOFF has been described by T-14 as an CGPU agent himself in the year 1937 or 1938.

T-12 was also able to supply a few additional items of information relative to one VICTORIA STONE, who is known to be a very intimate associate of ARTHUR ADAMS. According to the informant, VICTORIA is also a very good friend of JACOB ARONOFF and he has performed a number of legal matters for her. One of these, informant alleged, dealt with the business arrangement between VICTORIA STONE and JULIUS HEIMAN, for the operation of the jewelry store at 510 Madison Avenue. ARONOFF's file, informant stated, revealed that he had drawn up the original contract between STONE and HEIMAN, in September, 1941.

This informant also knows that in July, 1944, VICTORIA wrote to ARONOFF, referring to an illness of HEIMAN, and to some trouble between HEIMAN and her. Therein she told ARONOFF, "I have been J.'s friend for many years". She continued to tell ARONOFF, "ARTHUR and you have been the shoulders and I through it all have been a mere female".

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Mr. [redacted] residing at the [redacted], in New York City, were interviewed relative to ARTHUR ADAMS and DOROTHEA KEEN ADAMS. Mrs. [redacted] ARTHUR ADAMS through his first wife, SABINA, in about 1921. At that time she explained [redacted] in the United States and SABINA was [redacted] began to become friendly with SABINA, s he continued, [redacted] of her domestic problems and of the fact that she was separated from her husband, ARTHUR ADAMS. SABINA [redacted] her husband was associating with a young girl by the name of DOROTHEA KEEN.

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Now, as to DOROTHEA KEEN, Mrs. [redacted] [redacted] DOROTHEA's mother [redacted] had come from the same town in Russia. This girl was an energetic person, she continued, who was forever flitting around butting into everyone's business and pretending to help. Informant said [redacted] with DOROTHEA because of her association with ARTHUR ADAMS.

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It was Mrs. [redacted] remembrance that ARTHUR and SABINA had separated a short time prior to their return to Russia, although they did go back there together. This informant believed [redacted] was for convenience s ake, and that her husband intended to leave her upon their arrival in Russia, and further contemplated marrying DOROTHEA KEEN.

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The fact that ARTHUR ADAMS and his wife SABINA and son, ALEXANDER, left the United States together on January 22, 1921 has been previously verified.

As to the son, ALEXANDER, Mrs. [redacted] advised this boy was not the offspring of ARTHUR ADAMS and SABINA, but was the latter's son by a previous marriage. SABINA, she claimed, had no children by ARTHUR ADAMS. Following the departure of the ADAMS family in 1921, Mrs. [redacted] [redacted] continued to see DOROTHEA KEEN infrequently until the latter departed for Russia in what informant recalled was the latter part of 1921.

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Informant stated that [redacted] and while there met DOROTHEA KEEN again, and, she continued, a mutual friend, whom informant would only describe as "a male American", warned [redacted] DOROTHEA. This man [redacted] had caught DOROTHEA KEEN going through the papers in his room, but was unable to state whether she was just curious or had some ulterior motive in doing this. However, according to the informant, [redacted] DOROTHEA and the girl continued to be very friendly [redacted]

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In about 1927, informant stated, [redacted]

[redacted] met DOROTHEA KEEN and her husband, ARTHUR ADAMS. These two, she advised, resided in an apartment building occupied by employees of the Amo State Automobile Factory. There they had one of the nicest apartments which was indicative of their standing. ADAMS, according to this informant, was not very high in party ranks, but was one of the top technical men in the country. No one, she said, ever questioned where he went or what he did, as it was automatically presumed that he was always on secret governmental business. ADAMS frequently made trips to other countries, and informant stated on several trips to the United States he had taken DOROTHEA with him. The ADAMS, DOROTHEA and ARTHUR, informant stated, had no children to her knowledge.

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ARTHUR ADAMS and his wife, DOROTHEA, came to [redacted] a few times and he was always willing to talk of party policies, which was very unusual among men of his position in Russia. However, [redacted] in 1933 ADAMS came to the [redacted] became engaged in a very heated argument over some party policy. ADAMS as a result became very angry and left and this, informant related, was the last time he had ever [redacted] Prior to this time, she continued, one had always been able to argue with ADAMS and to show him some of the fallacies of the Communist Party line, but on the occasion of this [redacted] that ADAMS had lost all of his outside perspectives and was "100%, [redacted] 1000% party line". Mrs. [redacted] advised reporting agents that in her opinion DOROTHEA KEEN was probably an OGPU agent. She based this opinion more upon DOROTHEA's status in Moscow, rather than any definite acts of espionage on her part.

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Informant continued to state that of all the foreigners [redacted] in Moscow in similar positions as DOROTHEA, that is, associating or married to a high Russian official, DOROTHEA was the only one allowed to retain her original citizenship. This, she continued, was unheard of in Moscow, and she knew of no similar cases. Further evidence of DOROTHEA's standing, she related, was evidenced by the high-classed apartment which the ADAMS had; the type of clothes which she wore; her freedom of movement; and the amounts of foreign money she usually had. Informant stated that [redacted] ARTHUR ADAMS again after his argument with [redacted] DOROTHEA even up to 1939, at which time [redacted] left Moscow.

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Mrs. [redacted] was questioned as to the possibility of ARTHUR ADAMS having left Moscow in 1936 to escape the purge which began about that time. In this regard, however, she stated that she definitely did not believe that this had occurred as persons "just did not leave Russia as you would leave any other country". Continuing, she claimed if ADAMS had been on the r

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it would have been practically impossible for him to leave Russia and in addition DOROTHEA, as his wife, would not have been free following his departure, [REDACTED] b7D

Informant also stated that if it was known today that ADAMS had contact with any Communists, then it could be automatically assumed that he was in favor with the Soviets, otherwise no Communist would have anything to do with him.

Mrs. [REDACTED] recalled also that about two years ago a good friend of hers, whom she would only describe as a [REDACTED], had spoken to her, stating that she knew a man from Russia with whom she felt Mrs. [REDACTED] was possibly acquainted. This friend then told her that the man's name was "ADAMS" and that she saw him frequently at cocktail parties given by one MAJESKA at 1 Fifth Avenue, New York City. According to the informant, she and her friend at that time became engaged in a bitter argument relative to some Communist Party policies and it was apparent to Mrs. [REDACTED] that the woman had talked to ADAMS, because her theories were identical to those expressed by ADAMS at the time of his last talk [REDACTED] b7D

Relative to the MAJESKA mentioned, it can be stated that she is known to be Mlle. YNA MAJESKA, a designer, who resides at 1 Fifth Avenue, has an office at 1 East 57th Street, and is a good friend of JACOB B. ARONOFF, close associate of ADAMS. Further, it has been stated previously, ARONOFF in letters to DOROTHEA, wife of subject, has frequently referred to MAJESKA, indicating that she is also known to DOROTHEA.

Continuing, informant recalled approximately two years ago she attended a party at the [REDACTED] in Philadelphia. There she said she met a young woman who told her that [REDACTED] namely, DOROTHEA KEEN ADAMS and MARTHA K. GOTTLIEB. She also told Mrs. [REDACTED] that [REDACTED] b7D
MARTHA heard at regular intervals from her sister through either Amtorg or the Russian Consulate in New York City. At the time, according to Mrs. [REDACTED] it was practically impossible to get any word from relatives in Russia. However, she remarked, "MARTHA GOTTLIEB was able to hear from DOROTHEA". To the informant, this was just additional indication that DOROTHEA KEEN ADAMS and her husband were still in favor in the USSR and indicated his standing with the Government.

Informant also stated that in Russia one of the highest trusts which the Government can place in a man is to allow him to visit a foreign country. The long number of years which ARTHUR ADAMS has spent in the United States, she said, would even more plainly indicate the trust which the Soviets place in him.

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As to SABINA, Mrs. [redacted] subsequent to her leaving the United States in 1921. However, she did recall in 1922 [redacted] Dr. DAVID H. DUBROWSKY, head of the Russian Red Cross in America, in Berlin, and he had [redacted] seeing SABINA in Moscow and she was attempting to again leave Russia.

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Informant said she had no definite knowledge of ADAMS' nativity, but for some unknown reason seemed to think of his being German. She thought that ADAMS spoke German and further had some recollection of his being in some Army at one time.

[redacted] relative to the subject and [redacted] ADAMS in Moscow when he went to that city as a [redacted]

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At that time, he said, ADAMS was in charge of the Amc automobile Factory and [redacted] the type of work that was being done there, [redacted] ADAMSes on several occasions at [redacted] and though he recalled that this association had been discontinued due to an argument on the part [redacted] ARTHUR, [redacted] of the incident. [redacted] as to their belief that DOROTHEA KEEN was an OGPU agent. [redacted] in her conclusions as to ADAMS' standing with the Soviet Government. He said [redacted] last saw DOROTHEA KEEN in 1938, at which time [redacted] Moscow to go to Spain. However, Mr. [redacted] had seen ARTHUR ADAMS in Longchamps Restaurant at 42nd Street and Lexington Avenue in June, 1944. He said [redacted] ADAMS due to the fact that the latter was with another individual, and [redacted] anti-Soviet writings. However, [redacted]

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Mr. [redacted] just automatically assumed that [redacted] ADAMS he was connected with the Amtorg Trading Corporation. He stated that Moscow ARTHUR ADAMS was well regarded in party circles, but did not hold a high position. However, ADAMS was, he continued, well versed in party policies and was one of the few men cognizant of the inner workings of the party who was willing to talk to foreigners. However, he alleged, as a technical man he was one of the top individuals in the Soviet Union.

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CHARLES PACK

CHARLES PACK of 386 Fourth Avenue, New York City, -it will be recalled, was a reference of ARTHUR ADAMS on his application for membership in the Society of Automotive Engineers in New York City. At the time of the original interview PACK furnished considerable information relative to the subject and remarked that his wife was a good friend of Mrs. CHARLES HARDY and Mrs. GOTTLIEB, both of whom knew the ADAMSes well.

Martha K.

Mr. PACK was again interviewed by Special Agents Joseph C. and Francis X. Plant for any additional information he might have re ADAMS, or that he had obtained under pretext from his wife. He re only additional information he knew was that Mr. BORSUK, a former the late CHARLES HARDY, had visited his office (PACK's), and course of his visit mentioned he had seen ARTHUR ADAMS, April 1, 1945. According to BORSUK, ADAMS stated the Connecticut and was working for a company, the exact name unable to recall, except that it had "electronics". PACK that ADAMS inquired about his health and his

According to Mr. PACK, BORSUK knew ADAMS through CHARLES HARDY, for whom ADAMS had worked during the years 1917 and 1918. However, PACK said he had no knowledge as to the extent of their friendship or relations.

It is interesting to note that T-4 reported that on March 29, 1945 a Mr. BORSUK attempted to contact ERIC BERNAY and ARTHUR ADAMS at the Keynote Recording Company. Due to ADAMS' absence he requested that he contact him at WA 5-0931, which number, it has been ascertained, is listed to the Horni Signal Manufacturing Company of 310 Hudson Street, New York City. Additional investigation to further identify BORSUK and the firm he represents will be conducted.

As to the above-mentioned CHARLES HARDY, it will be recalled that ADAMS worked for this individual during 1917 and 1918, at which time HARDY was operating a firm known as the Blair Tool and Machine Works in New York City.

As was reflected in referenced report, CHARLES HARDY, being deceased, his son, NORMAN HARDY, was interviewed under pretext and he furnished considerable information relative to the subject's background. At the time of the interview, NORMAN advised he had last seen ADAMS in December, 1944, at which time the latter

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had returned from a trip to the West Coast..

On March 26, 1945 T-4 reported that ADAMS attempted to contact NORMAN HARDY at the Endee Products Company, 81 Prospect Avenue, Brooklyn, New York.

CHARLES PACK, during the course of previous interview, has suggested that one "CONIFF" of the Conmar Fastener Company of Newark, New Jersey, probably knew ARTHUR ADAMS when he was here as a representative of the Russian Government and possibly could give additional information concerning him.

Investigation by the Newark Field Division has established that the individual referred to by PACK is probably ALEXANDER KONOFF, President of the Conmar Products Corporation, a million dollar zipper manufacturing concern. It was further learned that one SAMUEL MARCUS is Secretary and Treasurer of this organization and though the Newark files were negative of any information concerning KONOFF, they reflected that as of July 3, 1940 an informant had said "MARCUS sends money to the Russian Government".

Again the files showed that the Chief Engineer of Conmar, one DAVID RABINOW, should not be contacted on Communist matters. According to the Newark report, KONOFF resides in New York City at 110 Riverside Drive. He was described as a native born Russian and as being 56 years of age. However, due to the above information as to the employees of Conmar, no further attempt is being made to interview KONOFF,

S. J. WEGMAN

It will be recalled that in the New York State tax return of ARTHUR ADAMS for the year 1942 he stated that he had been employed as a machine designer by S. J. WEGMAN, 6513 Hollywood Blvd., Hollywood, California, and had received the sum of \$1875.

Preliminary investigation of this individual by the Los Angeles Field Division showed that WEGMAN, a native of the United States of Russian parentage, had formerly operated a mail order firm in New York City. In January, 1941 he had moved to Los Angeles, where he operated the S. J. Wegman Company and Four-Star Products Company, retailing abdominal supporters and cosmetics through the mail.

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The only male employee of WEGMAN who was known in the Los Angeles area was one NATHAN A. ZAUSNER, who is an active member of the Communist Party.

It will be observed that the business in which WEGMAN was engaged in California is entirely foreign to any occupation in which ARTHUR ADAMS has ever engaged.

WEGMAN, it has now been learned, is presently residing at the Great Northern Hotel, 118 West 57th Street, New York City, is single and maintains two accounts at the Title Guaranty and Trust Company, 6 East 45th Street. One account is in the name of SAMUEL J. WEGMAN and Company, which was opened on December 13, 1944 as a checking account. The second account, SAMUEL J. WEGMAN-Special, was opened on March 14, 1945 with a \$1500 deposit.

A check was made of both of these accounts for the Month of May for any checks drawn to the order of ARTHUR ADAMS, but the examination proved negative. It was further ascertained that WEGMAN is presently conducting his mail order business at 9 East 45th Street, in partnership with a relative, LEONARD F. WEGMAN, who, it has been ascertained, is a native-born United States citizen, a civil engineer, and a recent dischargee from the United States Forces, where he served in the Engineering Corps. He resides at 67-123 Dartmouth Street, Forest Hills, Long Island, New York.

At the Great Northern Hotel it was determined through a confidential source that WEGMAN had a number of copies of the Information Bulletin distributed by the Embassy of the USSR from Washington, D. C. Further, he had a copy of the New Masses, a circular from the "American Review on the Soviet Union", and a copy of the alleged Communist publication, "In Fact".

This individual, it was learned had contributed \$25.00 to the Joint Anti-Fascist Spanish Committee in March, 1945. The same confidential source advised that WEGMAN had a letter in his room on the stationery of the Communist Political Association of New York State, which reflected that his transfer from California had been received and that the club nearest his address was the Midtown Club, 132 East 26th Street, New York City.

Another confidential source reported that SAMUEL J. WEGMAN had in his possession in his offices at 9 East 45th Street, cancelled checks reflecting that WEGMAN had paid to ARTHUR ADAMS, 25 checks in the sum of \$75 each.

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It is to be noted that the payment of \$75 is very similar to the amount being paid to ADAMS at the Keynote Recording Company, 522 Fifth Avenue.

According to this confidential source WEGMAN deposited the sum of \$1875 in the California Bank, Hollywood, California, on August 4, 1941. Then, starting with August 5, 1941 WEGMAN, every week up to January 20, 1942, drew a check for \$75, payable to ARTHUR ADAMS. All of the checks were endorsed by ARTHUR ADAMS and collected through the Corn Exchange Bank Trust Company, Grand Central Branch, and the Central Savings Bank, in New York City. This account, it was learned, is entitled, "SAMUEL J. WEGMAN, Personal Account", and is entirely separate and apart from the other ordinary business checking accounts which WEGMAN maintained in the California Bank.

WEGMAN also had in his possession, in addition to the cancelled checks, the original check stubs and the monthly statements received by him from the bank. Photographs of the checks, stubs, and statements are being maintained in the New York Field Division, while copies of the checks bearing the endorsement of ARTHUR ADAMS have been sent to the FBI Laboratory.

It has also been ascertained that SAMUEL J. WEGMAN's name and his address of 35 Fifth Avenue, New York City, were included in a list of students at the summer session of the First Moscow University, Anglo-American Section, in 1935.

T-12 provided additional information concerning WEGMAN, by stating he knew ARONOFF had in his possession a small scrap of paper which read: "Jack: This is the address of Mr. S. J. Wegman: 6425 Hollywood Blvd., Hollywood, California. He is the man I am working for and you will make up an agreement between him and me. /s/ Arthur". Thus, JACOB ARONOFF was probably well aware of this arrangement between ADAMS and WEGMAN.

BANK ACCOUNTS

As was shown in the reference report, the accounts maintained by the subject at the following banks were closed:

Corn Exchange Bank Trust Company, 1 East 42nd Street.

Central Savings Bank, 73rd Street and Broadway

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It is also reflected in reference report that when ARTHUR ADAMS executed his "Application for Immigration Visa" on May 17, 1938, before ROBERT W. HARDING, Vice Consul, he showed among his possessions an account with the Corn Exchange Bank Trust Company, Terminal Branch, New York City, which had a balance of \$1395 and an account numbered 179519 with the Broadway Office of the Central Savings Bank, New York City, which had a balance of \$904.57. The number of the latter account indicated it was different from the account with the same institution referred to above.

Accordingly, Special Agent (i.) William W. Bradburn checked the records of the Corn Exchange Bank Trust Company, Terminal Branch, where it was reflected that ARTHUR ADAMS had opened this account on June 3, 1936 with a deposit of \$495 and the account had remained open until June 20, 1939 when it was closed. Due to the fact that the deposit ticket was lost the nature of the opening deposit was not able to be determined.

A check of the appropriate ledger sheets showed, however, that the most pertinent of the transactions following the initial deposit, were as follows:

June 19, 1936 - withdrawal of \$100
June 10, 1937 - Cash deposit of \$300
July 6, 1937 - Cash Deposit of \$200
April 23, 1938 - Cash deposit of \$500.

It will be observed that all of these items were handled on dates prior to the time ADAMS entered the United States for permanent residence on May 17, 1938. Further, the withdrawal of \$100 on June 19, 1936 and the opening of the account on June 3, 1936 were both prior to the date of September 26, 1936, which heretofore has been the first time ADAMS was heard of in Canada since his departure for Russia in 1933.

It was noted that following the deposit of April 3, 1938, five withdrawals were made, the last being for \$85.63 on June 20, 1939, which closed the account.

The signature card for this particular account reflected that the subject was introduced to the bank by CHARLES GOTTLIEB, 220 Broadway and on the reverse side the card bore the notation, "Charles Gottlieb by phone introduced his brother-in-law". This notation it would seem, reflects that

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ADAMS opened this account in person. It was also shown on this card that subject had the following addresses:

1223 King Street West, Toronto, Ontario, Canada

10 West 96th Street

St. George Hotel, Brooklyn, New York

100 Sixth Avenue, New York City

There were no dates upon this card tending to indicate when the subject resided at these particular addresses, nor any correspondence in the bank's files to show how they were advised of the changes.

The first address shown is known as being the residence of the subject during the time he was in Canada from 1936 to 1938. Further the last address, that of 100 Sixth Avenue, is for the Wholesale Radio Company, which firm ADAMS allegedly represented in Canada and of which SAMUEL NOVICK was an executive.

At the offices of the L. J. Phillips Company, 134 West 72nd Street, which firm managed the apartment house located at 10 West 96th Street during the pertinent period, it was ascertained that SAMUEL NOVICK had resided in Apartment 16-D at this address from October 1, 1933 to September 30, 1937. The records showed that NOVICK had a business entitled the Wholesale Radio Sales Corporation and his former address was reflected as being Mt. Airy, Croton-on-the-Hudson, where he resided for three months with a MAX EASTMAN as his landlord.

All attempts at 10 West 96th Street to locate any individual who might have known ADAMS or NOVICK at the time they resided at this address met with negative results.

By report dated August 6, 1945 the Boston Field Division advised that MAX EASTMAN upon interview advised that he had no recollection of ARTHUR ADAMS or SAMUEL NOVICK. Further, he was unable to identify photographs of either of these individuals.

As to CHARLES GOTTLIEB mentioned, his background and relation to the subject were thoroughly reviewed in reference report. As was shown there GOTTLIEB married MARTHA KEEN, sister of subject's wife, DOROTHEA KEEN ADAMS. The fact that GOTTLIEB introduced ADAMS to the bank would seem to belie the

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information previously received from CHARLES PACK and set out in referenced report that the GOTTLIEBs were angry with ADAMS as he deserted his wife in Moscow.

A photograph of this signature card is being forwarded to the Bureau by separate letter.

Special Agent Bradburn also checked savings account #179519 at the Central Savings Bank, 73rd Street and Broadway, where it was ascertained that the account was opened on May 25, 1937 with a cash deposit of \$60. The account was closed as of June 8, 1938, at which time it had a balance of \$904.57. The signature card for this account showed that at the time of its opening the subject furnished an address of 240 West 73rd Street, New York City. An appropriate photograph of this signature card will also be forwarded to the Bureau.

Thus, it now seems that both of these accounts were actually opened prior to the subjects entry into the United States/ on May 17, 1938.

It was further set forth in reference report that ADAMS had formerly maintained an account at the Corn Exchange Bank Trust Company, 13 William Street, New York City, in the name of Technological Laboratories, Inc., which account was opened on May 14, 1938 by a deposit of \$4,000 made by JACOB B. ARONOFF.

Investigation has shown that this deposit consisted of a \$3850 check and \$150 in cash. Further, it was ascertained a withdrawal of \$3850 was made from the personal account of JACOB B. ARONOFF, who, as it is stated above, opened the Technological account for ADAMS.

A further check of this account of ARONOFF was made to determine, if possible, the source of these funds, and though it was learned that a deposit of \$4,000 was made to his account on April 23, 1938, it was in cash and, consequently, its source could not be determined.

The examination of this account failed to reflect any additional information pertinent to this investigation.

However, attention is drawn to the fact that on the same day the deposit of \$4,000 to ARONOFF's account was made, a deposit of \$500 was made to each of ARTHUR ADAMS' accounts as maintained at the Corn Exchange Bank Trust Company and the Central Savings Bank.

An additional check was also made of the joint account of ^{Account} ~~ARONOFF~~ and ARTHUR ADAMS as maintained by them at the Central Savings Bank. This had been previously examined for the period of December 22, 1941, up to the present time and a check thereof for the period July 5, 1939 to December 22, 1941 was made, but nothing of significance was noted.

A photograph of the signature cards for this account will be furnished the Bureau.

It has now been learned that ADAMS, while under surveillance visited the Corn Exchange Bank Trust Company, 1 East 42nd Street, June 19, 1945, where he was observed talking to one of the officers of the bank and then proceeded to one of the tellers windows.

Special Agent Bradburn ascertained that on this day ADAMS opened an account at this bank in his own name, depositing 16 checks in the amount of \$60.55 each, all drawn by the Keynote Recording Company on the Guaranty Trust Company of New York City.

Later, on July 6, 1945, he deposited three more checks in similar amounts and on the same day drew a check in the amount of \$90, payable to the Peter Cooper Hotel.

As of July 31, 1945 the ledger sheet reflected the subject had a balance of \$1060.45 in this account. It is to be noted that ADAMS had made no apparent attempt to redeposit the funds which were in his account at this institution and in the Central Savings Bank at the time he closed them in February, 1945.

As was stated in the reference report, on February 19, 1945 ADAMS closed out his account with the Corn Exchange Bank Trust Company, withdrawing \$2422.54. Also, on January 23, 1945 ADAMS closed his account at the Central Savings Bank with a withdrawal of \$5052.73.

In view of the fact that surveillance has failed to indicate that ADAMS has opened any other accounts other than this new account with the Corn Exchange Bank Trust Company, it is possible that he has in his possession funds in the amount of \$7300.

INCOME TAX

The Bureau by letter dated May 4, 1945 forwarded to the New York Office a photostatic copy of the Federal Tax Return of 1943 for ARTHUR ADAMS. A review of this return reflects ADAMS acknowledged an income of \$2400 from the Keynote Recording Company, his occupation being given as machine designer and his Social Security No. as J-24867. This return was dated March 8, 1944 and was signed ARTHUR ADAMS.

Other returns for the subject, that is for the years 1938 to 1942, inclusive, are presently being obtained and will be reported when secured.

However, T-12 reported that JACOB ARONOFF possessed a copy of the Federal Tax Return for 1940 of ARTHUR ADAMS, which reflected that he had an income of \$2,000 received from the Wire Radio-Telephone Company, 100 Sixth Avenue, New York City. This return listed ADAMS as a machine designer, residing at 130 East 39th Street, New York City.

The Wire Radio-Telephone Company, which ADAMS lists as his employer in this return, is known to be a subsidiary of the mentioned Electronics Corporation of America, which is headed by SAMUEL NOVICK.

With reference to the New York State Tax Returns of ADAMS, reference report showed considerable information obtained by the Albany Field Division, among which was a communication between ADAMS and the Department of Tax and Finance. According to the Albany report ADAMS advised in this letter that he was a free lance machine designer maintaining an office in the General Motors Building in New York City. However, he stated due to illness he was not able to do very much and consequently had only one account, for whom he did work, that being the Wire Radio Television Company, from whom he received \$2,000. This letter, according to T-12, was prepared by ARONOFF, as the informant knew that the latter had a copy of the letter in his possession.

L. E. CHRISTIANSEN

At the time of the subject's trip to Chicago in September, 1944, Mr. L. E. CHRISTIANSEN, New York Central Ticket Agent at the Chicago Ticket Office reported that ARTHUR ADAMS had been coming to Chicago approximately once every six months for the past eight to ten years. At the time of this visit CHRISTIANSEN further stated ADAMS had requested that his return ticket be made in the name of the Electronics Corporation of America, by whom he was employed and for whom he was traveling.

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Inasmuch as it was known that ADAMS entered the United States on May 17, 1938 and as this was considerably less than the ten-year period mentioned by CHRISTIANSEN, it was deemed advisable to reinterview him for more specific information.

Accordingly, Mr. ^{L.E.}CHRISTIANSEN was reinterviewed by agents of the Chicago Field Division, at which time he stated prior to September, 1944 when he was first contacted with reference to the subject he had not seen ADAMS for approximately 18 months. He further advised he could not recall the exact date when he had first seen ADAMS but was of the opinion that it was around 1940, and that between that year and the early part of 1943 he had seen this man approximately four or five times. He stated when ADAMS contacted him in September, 1944, he recalled his face but could not recall his name. It was at that time that he asked ADAMS for his name and was advised that it was ARTHUR ADAMS, a representative of the Electronics Corporation of America. Mr. CHRISTIANSEN continued to advise that he has not seen ADAMS since this visit in September, 1944, but added in the event he should be contacted by ADAMS at any time in the future he would immediately advise the Chicago Field Division.

ZOSIA DIAMOND

It will be recalled that a previous associate of the subject ADAMS was identified as a Dr. PAUL DIAMOND and his wife ZOSIA DIAMOND of Atlanta, Georgia.

Investigation by the Atlanta Field Division reflected that these individuals had moved to 10 Monroe Street, New York City.

Mrs. MC LOUGHLAN, secretary to the Vice President of Knickerbocker Village, 10 Monroe Street, New York City, produced records which reflected that on November 9, 1939 Miss ZOSIA SEITZ applied for an apartment at Knickerbocker Village, stating that she was a naturalized Pole and had been employed by the New York Public Library for ten years. The records further reflected on December 1, 1941 a new application was submitted by this woman as Mrs. ZOSIA DIAMOND and her husband, Dr. PAUL DIAMOND. PAUL DIAMOND was at that time employed as an interne at the Grosvenor Hospital. According to correspondence with that hospital DIAMOND had been so employed since July 1, 1941. Further, according to the records, on July 20, 1942 DIAMOND received a telegram from the Army directing him to proceed to Westover Field, Chicopee Falls, Massachusetts, as a First Lt., United States Army, Medical Corps.

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According to Mrs. MC LOUGHLAN, Dr. and Mrs. PAUL DIAMOND left Knickerbocker Village in July, 1942, leaving a forwarding address as c/o B. AXTON, 18 Garrity Street, Chicopee Falls, Massachusetts.

Inquiry at the New York Public Library revealed that ZOSIA SEITZ was employed there from November 30, 1925 to August 31, 1943, at which time she left her position to join her husband, then in Massachusetts in the Army. The last address known for ZOSIA SEITZ DIAMOND in the library records was 5515 Hanover Square, Carlisle, Pennsylvania.

It was also reflected she was born in Warsaw, Poland on December 24, 1904 and came to this country in 1921. She was previously employed as a stenographer for the Georgian American, a newspaper in Atlanta, Georgia, the Polish Daily, Union Square, New York City, and the Amalgamated Bank, 203 East 14th Street, New York City.

FLORA RAMOS

The subject ARTHUR ADAMS while under surveillance on May 1, 1945 was observed to have lunch with a woman at Harveys Seafood Restaurant, New York City. Subsequent surveillance of this woman revealed that she proceeded on leaving ADAMS to Apartment 15 at 530 East 138th Street, Bronx, New York.

Inquiry of A. M. ZEILENGALD, Real Estate Agent at 511 East 139th Street, stated he had rented the above-mentioned apartment to one FLORA RAMOS during February, 1945, but added he knew nothing about her, except that she was Spanish and was approximately 30 years of age.

Due to the fact that the majority of the tenants in this apartment house were of Spanish nationality, it was deemed inadvisable to make any inquiries concerning FLORA RAMOS or the subject of instant investigation.

It was noted, however, that one of the mail boxes listed a FLORA RAMOS, and a FCO. RAMOS; which it is believed possible may refer to FRANCISCO RAMOS:

The New York indices on FLORA RAMOS were negative for any information. However, it was reflected under the name of FRANCISCO RAMOS that an individual by that name was one of the more prominent Communists in Mexico in 1942.

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ADAMS' CONTACTS WITH FORMER DSM EMPLOYEES

Investigation has not disclosed any additional contacts on ADAMS' part with any persons formerly employed on the DSM Project. With the exception of his contacts with MARCIA HISKEY and EDWARD T. MANNING which were related in another section of this report. ADAMS has apparently discontinued all association with the individuals he knows who were previously employed on DSM Project work.

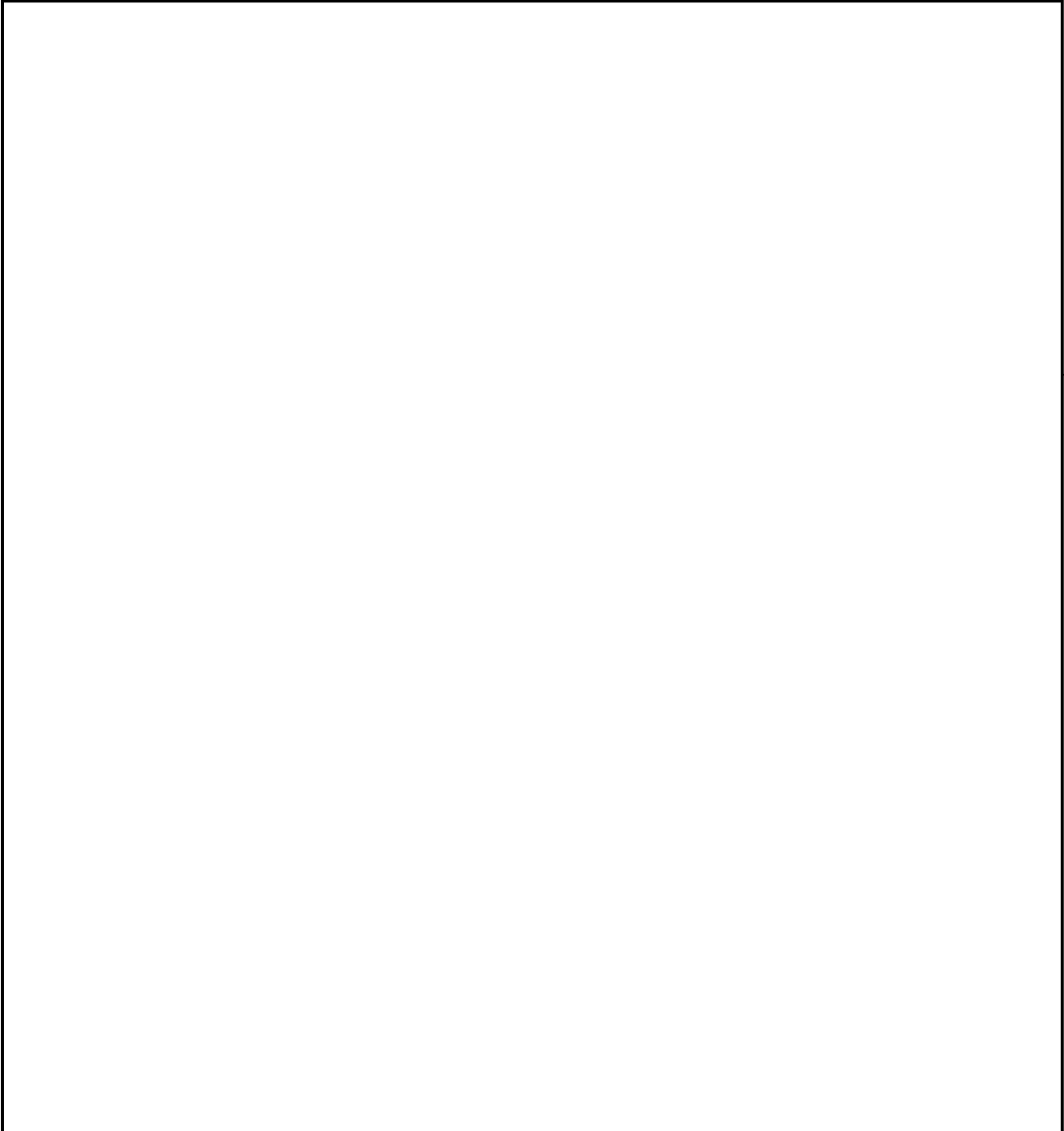
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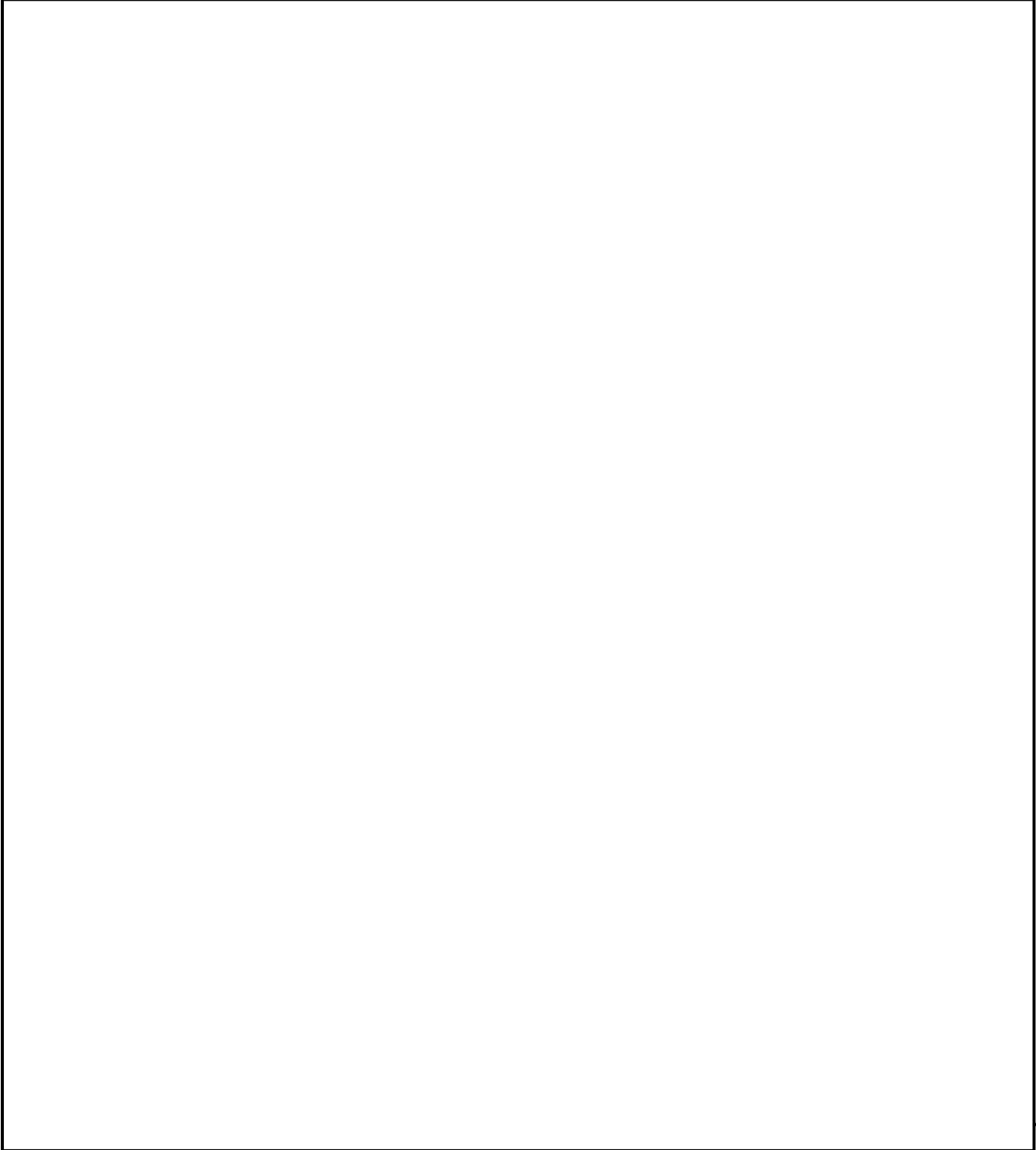
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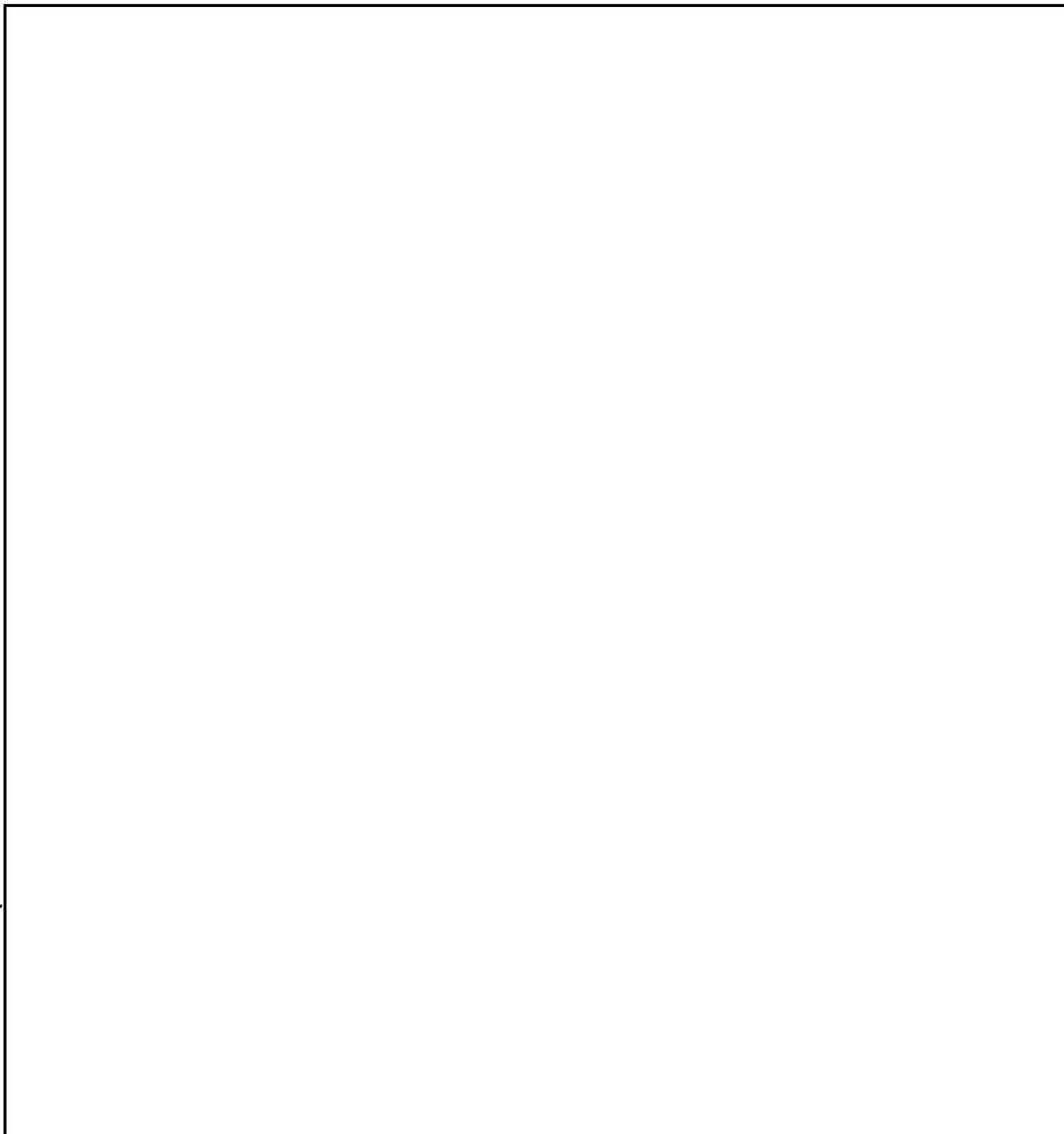


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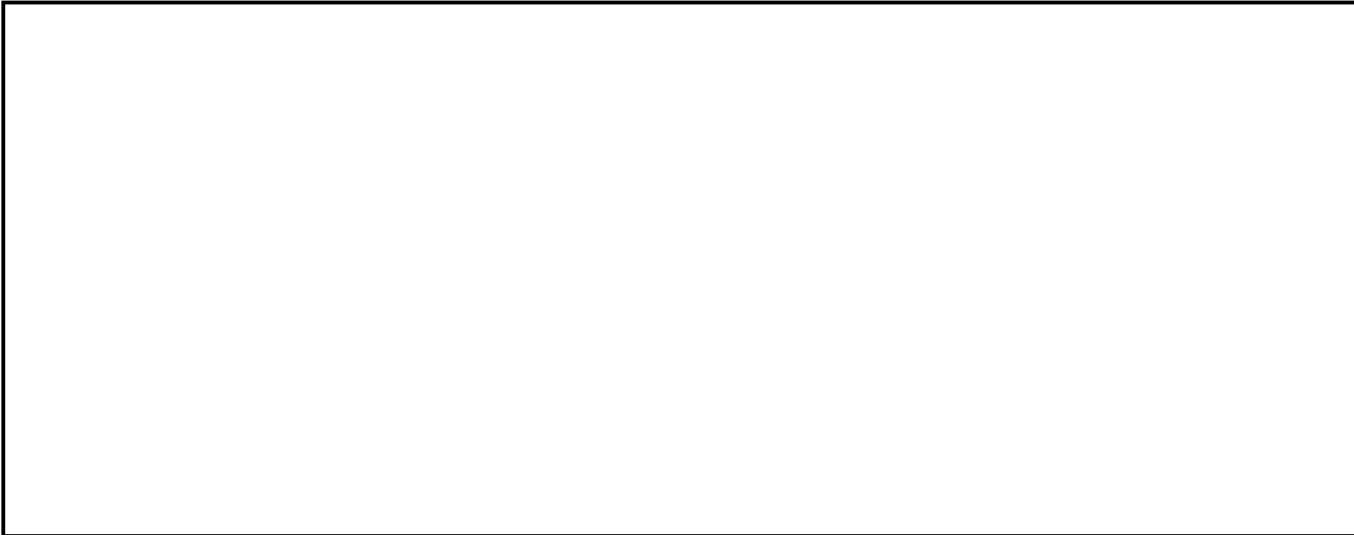
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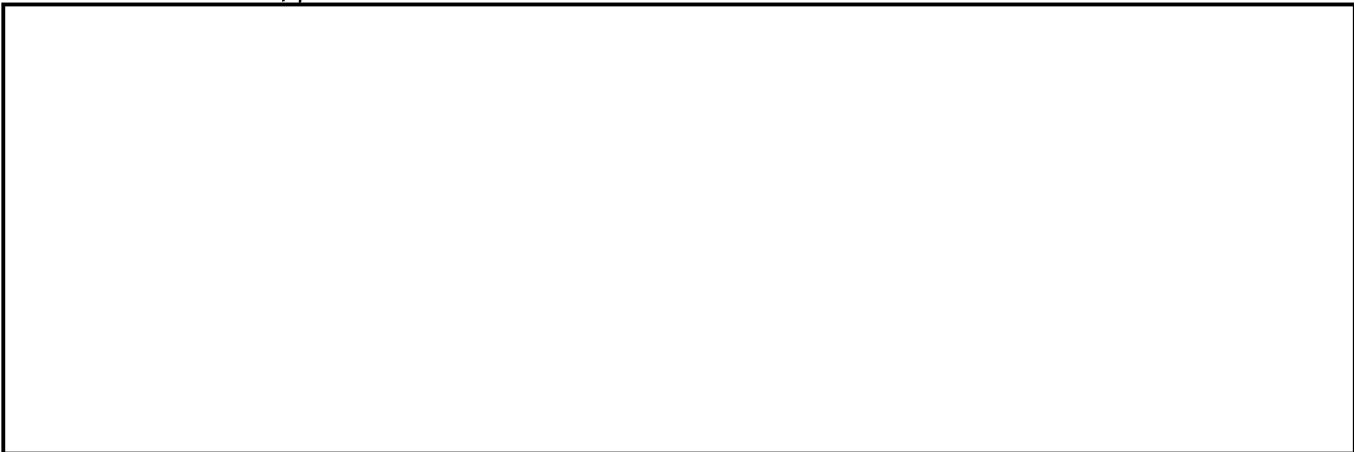


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The Boston Field Office has indicated that CHAPIN is now residing at 28 $\frac{1}{2}$ Reed Street, Pittsfield, Massachusetts. He is employed as a Chemical Engineer in the ~~General Electric~~ General Electric ~~Plastics Plant~~ Plastics Plant at Pittsfield. W .



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UNDEVELOPED LEADS

NEWARK FIELD DIVISION:

At New Ann, New Jersey -

Will attempt to identify Professor BUNT LACROW, New Ann, New Jersey, whose name and address were ascertained to be in ADAMS' possession at his room in the PETER COOPER HOTEL, New York City.

DETROIT FIELD DIVISION:

At Detroit, Michigan -

Will interview OSCAR MALYCHEVITCH, a reference given by ADAMS when he applied for membership in the SAE, New York City. This lead which has been previously furnished Detroit by teletype and letter is to be covered only after securing Bureau approval.

CHICAGO FIELD DIVISION:

At Chicago, Illinois -

As an enclosure to a letter of CLARENCE HISKEY's dated May 25, 1944, EDWARD T. MANNING sent a telephone bill which indicated a toll service and telegraph charge of \$53.64. The Chicago Office is requested to obtain the address of CLARENCE HISKEY during May 1944 just previous to his termination at METALLURGICAL LABORATORY in Chicago, and check out, if possible, long distance calls and telegraphs of CLARENCE HISKEY for any information concerning contacts on his part with ADAMS or other individuals of interest to instant investigation.

NEW HAVEN FIELD DIVISION:

At New Haven, Connecticut -

If it is deemed feasible will interview Doctor DAVID H. DUBROFF was former official of the Russian Relief Committee and former president of the COLUMBIA PARCEL EXPORTS, INCORPORATED, New York City which was engaged in exporting parcels to Russia up to 1938 for any information he may have relative to ARTHUR ADAMS' background.

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Mr. [REDACTED] when interviewed regarding ADAMS indicated DUBROWSKY's wife might be of greater assistance than DUBROWSKY himself and that she has a good knowledge of Soviet affairs and persons. This lead was set out in a letter to the Bureau and New Haven Office dated June 29, 1945 in the case entitled "DOCTOR DAVID H. DUBROWSKY, INTERNAL SECURITY - R". Reference is also made to the report of Special Agent BREWER WILSON, June 29, 1945 at New York entitled "DOCTOR DAVID H. DUBROWSKY, was. INTERNAL SECURITY - R" which report the New Haven Office received a copy.

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NEW YORK FIELD DIVISION:

At New York, New York -

Will review information developed through separate investigation of important contacts of ADAMS and report information contained therein pertinent to this investigation.

Will follow and report information furnished by the various confidential informants mentioned herein.

Will follow and report pertinent information developed through the mail cover being continued on ADAMS at the PETER COOPER HOTEL, 130 East 39th Street, New York City.

Will continue the physical surveillance of ADAMS and report contacts and activities believed to be connected with the instant case.

Will identify, if possible, the man who conferred with ADAMS and STONE at VICTORIA STONE's jewelry store on June 8, 1945 and proceeded to 1290 Ocean Avenue, Brooklyn, New York.

Will attempt to develop informants of the type that can furnish information regarding the nature of ADAMS' frequent contacts with the dental office of Doctor SHERTOK, Empire State Building, New York City.

Will, if it is deemed advisable, interview Mr. BORSUK of the HORN SIGNAL MANUFACTURING COMPANY, 310 Hudson Street, New York City, for any information he may have relative to ADAMS.

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UNDEVELOPED LEADS, (Cont'd)

Will continue to examine reports of confidential informants for information developed in related investigations in the attempt to determine identity of "Dave" referred to in a most cautious manner by ADAMS, through MILLER and VICTORIA STONE as set forth in the reference report.

At Yonkers, New York -

Will interview SIMON A. ROSENBERG, was. who last resided at 141 Elm Street, Yonkers, New York to ascertain whether he was familiar with ARTHUR ADAMS and whether he can identify a photograph of ADAMS. ROSENBERG performed espionage work for GAIK OVAKIMIAN, under the direction of ARMAND LABIS FELDMAN, was. from 1934 to 1938 and subsequently executed a signed statement for Bureau agents regarding his activities and otherwise cooperated in the investigation of OVAKIMIAN and FELDMAN.

Information concerning ROSENBERG which indicates he may have knowledge of ADAMS is contained in New York File on ARMAND LABIS FELDMAN 65-235.

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Copies of this report are being furnished to the San Francisco and El Paso Field Divisions in view of the fact that the former is the office of origin in the Comrap investigation and in view of the latter's interest in the Cinrad investigation.

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CONFIDENTIAL INFORMANTS

The Confidential Informants mentioned in the report of Special Agent Hughitt H. Hinderaker, dated at New York on September 15, 1945, are as follows:

T-1 MR. [redacted]

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[redacted] KEYNOTE RECORDINGS INCORPORATED, 522 Fifth Avenue, New York City. He is now associated with [redacted] New York City.

T-2 MR. [redacted]

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the PETER COOPER HOTEL, 130 East 39th Street, New York City.

- ~~CONF~~ INF T-3, NYT 244, whose identity is known to the Bureau.
- ~~CONF~~ INF T-4, NYT 281, whose identity is known to the Bureau.
- ~~CONF~~ INF T-5, Office of Cable Censorship.
- ~~CONF~~ INF T-6, NYT 272, whose identity is known to the Bureau.
- ~~CONF~~ INF T-7, NYT 252, whose identity is known to the Bureau.
- ~~CONF~~ INF T-8, NYM 114, whose identity is known to the Bureau.
- ~~CONF~~ INF T-9, NYT 286, whose identity is known to the Bureau.

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- ~~CONF~~ INF T-11, NYT 314, whose identity is known to the Bureau.

T-12 MR. [redacted]

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[redacted] New York City.

- ~~CONF~~ INF T-13 [redacted] whose identity is known to the Bureau.

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T-14 [redacted]

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